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died on or about the 25th day of August, A.D. 1915, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to Herrington Warner & Grange, Napanee, Ontario, solicitors for Edith O. Smith, executrix of the last will and testament of the said Sarah Elizabeth Bibb, deceased, on or before the 10th DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 1915, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims or demands duly verified, and the nature and security, if any held by them.

And further take notice that after the said 10th day of November, A.D. 1915, the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which she shall then have received notice, and shall not be responsible for the said assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not have received notice at the time of the distribution thereof.

HERRINGTON WARNER & GRANGE,

Solicitors for the said Executrix

Dated this 7th day of October, 1915.

must take up the task of turning out the Germans and recovering their lost territory. That will mean the use of tremendous quantities of high explosives. During the next three months the British, French and Russian Munition Departments will seek to pile up vast stacks of projectiles behind the lines so that a sustained offensive may be undertaken simultaneously on the eastern and western fronts. There is no reason to doubt that this can be done. Canada alone will soon be turning out two million shells a month and even larger quantities will be available from the United States. Joffre long ago said the minimum supply the French gunners would require for a prolonged offensive was 150,000 shells a day. That was an underestimate, as the expenditure of projectiles in the Champagne advance proved. Had the French been able to continue their blasting operations on the second line defences of the Germans upon that occasion, the enemy would have suffered a great disaster, and been forced to give up a large part of the Champagne. The artillery was actually being removed and the infantry assembled in preparation for retreat when the French guns ceased to pour devastation on the German lines. When the next French advance is made the gunners will have in the fullest meaning of the term unlimited ammunition. A lot of it will have to be of special composition. The allies must make much greater use of asphyxiating shells than heretofore. All the German local successes are the result of the use of poisonous gases. They made a gain of some advanced French trenches on Hill 109, near Massiges, in the Champagne, yesterday by the use of asphyxiating shells. At other points the French repulsed them, inflicting heavy losses.

The Colebrook people gave Percy Furts and bride a variety shower Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in dancing and cards, after which a lunch was served. This is the third community which has given Mr. and Mrs. Furts a variety shower.

The remains of the late Mrs. Coats were removed from here to the Roman Catholic Church at Odessa, where services were held, and thence to Ralton, burying ground.

The Lennox and Addington Red Cross motor ambulance made a tour through the southern part of the county last Thursday. It was on exhibition here at 10 a.m. Several of the ladies of the Napanee Red Cross Society took advantage of the trip and outing. Harold Anderson, Napanee, was in charge of the car. After a short stop here the party passed on to Moscow, Enterprise and other intermediate places.

Willet P. Benn and son Arnold, with other boys, were drawing in potatoes, and were making a noise which frightened the horse, which ran away, throwing the occupants and potatoes off the wagon. Passing on it slightly collided with Dr. Galbraith's automobile, standing on the road, but did it no injury. The horse was secured in Charles Penn's yard. The wagon was badly damaged. Mr. Benn's face was scratched.

Norman Bushey has sold his house and lot to H. M. Woodruff, and has bought a larger place between here and Harrowsmith, where he intends to go into the garden business more extensively.

Charles Benn, confined to the house by a second stroke, is somewhat better.

George Lucas, who has been very ill with blood poisoning, is slightly better.

H. M. Woodruff is finishing a garage for his automobile.

E. Purcell and wife, have gone for a few days' visit with relatives at Selby and other places.

Mrs. C. M. Woodruff has returned to Montreal.

C. N. Garrison has started on his annual hunting trip to the northern woods.

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tired of everybody?"

"Yes, son, and who tires everybody.

—Philadelphia Ledger.

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o so outflanked the Bulgars as to force

the evacuation of Macedonia.

The war may be extended to Persia where German intrigues seem at least to have borne fruit. Russia has not yet led the Persian Government that the Anglo-Russian convention providing for the maintenance of Persian independence and territorial integrity will at once lapse if the rumors prove true that Persia has concluded a secret agreement linking the fate of the nation with Germany and Turkey.

The Liverpool Post, a most reliable paper, reports the capture of one of Germany's latest super-submarines, vessel 250 feet long, and carrying in addition to its torpedo tubes four guns of fairly large calibre. The submarine was launched only two weeks ago at Stettin, and The Post says that a few hours after leaving her base she was caught "in one of those traps we have so skillfully laid for these crafts some where in the German ocean." This is big news, for the detailed information given as to the submarine shows that it was captured in such good condition as to be immediately available for us by the British navy.

The Italians are waging heroic warfare along the Isonzo. Their losses have been great, but they go forward with the utmost contempt of death. Yesterday's bulletins tell of advances west of Gorizia and on the Carso, in which some 400 prisoners and much war material was taken. The Austrians, strongly reinforced, have been attempting to stay the Italian advance by night attacks, but these have been repulsed. The Italians are keeping a large Austrian army busy on the Isonzo front.

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ANADA—FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5th, 1915

CENTREVILLE.

A number of hunters have passed through here enroute to Cloyne and other northern points.

The Government ditch-digger has completed its experimental work on the farm of A. N. Lapum and left for other parts. Mr. Lapum and his men are now busily engaged filling up the ditches.

Mr. J. B. Weese is erecting the foundation for a large building on the corner lot. When completed it will be used as a club room or place of entertainment.

There has been numerous cornhusking lately. Threshing is also about completed.

Messrs. John Clancy and E. P. Perry were attending court at Belleville on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Patrick Shannon has removed to his former home on Victoria St.

Rumor says a wedding soon.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

Mr. Fred Henderson had a husking bee on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rikley visited Sunday at her sisters, Mrs. Whittington, Empey Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hudson and son Walter, spent Sunday at his brother's, Deseronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henderson visited Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. John Lowers, Empey Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Wartman took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Turnbull, on Sunday.

Hallow e'en passed off very quietly here.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Turnbull visited at Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Melborne's on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Goodman visited at Mr. Archie Turnbull's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grooms and Miss Isabel Stafford at Mr. F. Henderson's husking bee on Tuesday evening.

ODESSA.

Miss E. Toomey is home after holidaying in Watertown, N.Y.

Miss Zetta Woolard, Kingston, is renewing old acquaintances in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. George Freeman and daughter Sydenham, spent a day recently at his sister's, Mrs. Lewis Snider's.

Mrs. Lewis Hartman, Camden East, spending a few days with her sister, Miss Liunge Snider.

The social given by the league last Friday evening was a decided success. A large crowd attended.

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TOWN COUNCIL.

Council Chamber
Nov. 1st, 1915

Council met in regular session on Monday evening, Mayor W. T. Gibbard in the chair.

Present—Reeve Denison, and Councillors Walters, Wiseman, Waller, Osborne and Dickinson.

The minutes of the last regular session were read and confirmed.

Mr. Robert Longmore, Warden of the county of Lennox and Addington, was present and occupied a seat within the council circle.

A communication was read from the Orphan's Home, Kingston, stating they were in error when they sent to the town council a bill for care of Iva Smith. The account should have been rendered to the Children's Aid Society.

Ordered filed.

A communication was read from the Canadian Free Library for the Blind, asking for a donation to help along their work.

Ordered laid on the table.

A communication was read from the militia authorities in reference to the removal of the weigh scales from in front of the armories as agreed to by the town.

The clerk was instructed to reply that a committee of the council had the work in hand, and the scales would shortly be removed.

The secretary of the Napane Public Library asked that the council put on the next pay sheet for payment the grant of \$300.00 made to that institution.

Request granted.

A communication was read from the Department of Militia, at Ottawa, stating that one company of infantry would be quartered at Napane during the winter.

Ordered filed.

A communication was read from G. B. Curran stating that a delegation would wait upon the council on behalf of the Napane Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association, and would ask for the use of the town hall, and also ask for a grant for the Association.

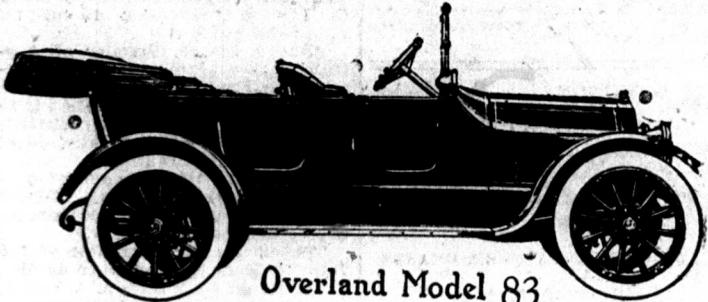
A communication was read from E. S. Lapum, town treasurer, stating that as he had heretofore not asked for any supplies in the way of office furniture, vaultage, or other equipment, he thought the town ought to supply him with fuel for his office, not to exceed four tons of coal.

Moved by Coun. Waller, seconded by Coun. Wiseman, that the Printing and By-Laws Committee secure and lay before the council at its next meeting the by-law under which the present treasurer received his appointment. Carried.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30th, 1915
at 2 o'clock p.m.

All accounts must be in the hands of the undersigned not later than Monday, Nov. 29th, in order that they may be considered.

W. G. WILSON,

County Clerk.

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WEDNESDAY.

Ald. J. E. Carter, of Guelph, has proposed a radical change in the form of city government.

London temperance workers asked the License Commission to cut off nine hotel licenses.

Andrew Fisher, Premier of Australia, has accepted the High Commissionership in London.

A mounted infantry battalion is to be formed in No. 2 Military District, to be commanded by Lieut.-Colonel W. C. Brooks of Brantford.

Sir Edward Grey announced yesterday that Great Britain's offer of Cyprus to Greece had lapsed because Greece had not accepted it.

The officers and Sergeants of the 70th Fusiliers, London, have decided to bar liquor from their mess rooms, at least until the end of the war.

Hamilton Recruiting League is planning to raise a Cavell Company, securing recruits on the appeal to avenge the slaying of the British nurse.

Hotels and liquor stores on the route from Niagara to Toronto have been temporarily placed out of bounds for soldiers engaged on the route march.

A casualty list just made public in London contains among those killed the name of Brigadier-General the Hon. John Schomberg Trefusis, son of the dowager Lady Clinton.

Belleville Licensed Victuallers' Association offered \$1,500 to the Red Cross if the committee would persuade the temperance people to call off the local option vote contemplated in January until after the war is over. No action was taken.

THURSDAY.

The formation of an Essex county battalion has been sanctioned by the military authorities.

Frederick Fleisheur jumped from the roof of St. Michael's Hospital in Toronto, and was killed.

Toronto hotels and liquor shops are out of bounds for soldiers from October 30 to November 11.

Sir Charles Davidson concluded his investigation at Winnipeg into purchases of war supplies, and left for Ottawa yesterday.

Eastern Ontario Women's Institutes have contributed about \$85,000 for patriotic purposes, one group of forty women raising \$2,353.

Wm. J. Morton of Toronto was accidentally shot and fatally wounded by C. L. Brooker of Toronto yesterday, while rabbit hunting at Orangeville.

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The British sweeper Hythe was sunk off Gallipoli Peninsula, and 155 men are missing.

Mr. E. S. Williamson, a widely-known interpreter of Dickens' works, died in Toronto after a short illness.

Canadian imports in September showed an increase, indicating the turn of the tide in business confidence.

Seventeen more municipalities have undertaken to raise new regiments, and a large number of country battalions have been offered.

Donald Guthrie, K.C., ex-M.P., prominent in Guelph life for many years, died in his 75th year, after a few days' illness of heart trouble.

Authority has been received for the organization of an oversea battery at Queen's University. Prof. L. W. Gill will command, with the rank of Captain. The battery will go overseas in the spring.

Information was received yesterday by his relatives in Toronto that Private George Greig Mowat, only son of Sheriff Frederick Mowat, and grandson of Sir Oliver Mowat, had been killed at the front.

Miss Blanche Walsh, the actress, died in Cleveland, O., last evening. She was born in New York city in 1873. Her first appearance was in an amateur production at the Windsor Theatre on the Bowery in 1887.

TUESDAY.

Lewis Waller, a noted English actor, is dead.

James Carruthers, Jr., of Parry Sound, was accidentally killed while hunting.

An Edith Cavell Home for Nurses will be built at the Western Hospital, Toronto.

Herman Ridder, the famous German-American publisher, died in New York yesterday.

W. D. Tippens, G. T. P. station agent, and Engineer John Hergick, were killed in a freight collision near Prince Rupert.

Divorce cases necessitating the presence of men now on the firing line will not be heard by British courts during the war.

Charles Schilling of Hanover accidentally shot himself at his brother's home near Elmwood, while preparing to go hunting, and died soon afterwards.

From eastern Belgium come reports of the arrival of large German reinforcements for the western line, including several bodies of cavalry from the eastern front.

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Twenty children lost their lives in a school blaze in Massachusetts.

Judson Park of Windsor was dragged off a car ferry and drowned yesterday in the Detroit River.

The first call for funds from the Allies' credit in the United States was made yesterday for \$70,000,000.

A fifth French-Canadian battalion has been authorized at Sherbrooke, another Highland battalion at Saskatoon, and a county battalion at North Bay.

A despatch to The London Express from Copenhagen says that the Krups have obtained a contract to build two cruisers for the Dutch Government.

Ontario's gift of machine guns is being made, Provincial Government officials say, but private subscriptions may be used for another purpose owing to inability to secure guns.

General Venustiano Carranza was made prisoner to-day at Torreon by his subordinate, General Alvaro Obregon, according to several messages received here to-night from Laredo.

Sir Bryan Mahon has taken command of the British forces in Serbia. This announcement was made in the House of Commons this afternoon by Harold J. Tennant, Parliamentary Under-Secretary for War.

In response to the request of the Government last June that private individuals exchange their gold coins for notes, a total of 1,000,000,000 francs (\$200,000,000) gold has been turned over to the Bank of France.

SATURDAY.

Canadian troops in France were decorated by King George yesterday.

Japan has become a party to the agreement to oppose a separate peace.

It is estimated \$1,500,000 will be raised in Ontario for the British Red Cross.

Two Catholic priests and two prospectors have been murdered by Hudson Bay Eskimos.

A Royal Commission has been asked for to investigate civic administration in Montreal.

Several districts in Saskatchewan have been swept by fire, buildings and crops being destroyed.

J. P. Morgan underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday, and is reported to be in good condition.

The Chinese President was urged yesterday by the powers to defer the re-establishment of the Monarchy.

Shell-making in Canada is now reorganized on a new basis, directly under the British Munitions Department.

Adam Johnston, Junior Judge of Prescott and Russell counties, died at his home in Vankleek Hill yesterday, after an illness of some months.

Corp. Louis Fontaine, of the 75th Battalion, was suddenly taken ill at St. Catharines with uraemia, and died early yesterday morning at the hospital.

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Repeated blows struck by the Italian offensive are breaking down the enemy's resistance on the Col de la Lano of the Cordova Heights.

Another trench was captured in the Monte San Michele zone on the Carso Plateau. Several small trenches were also occupied in the centre.

An attempted offensive by the enemy in the Monte Nero zone broke down after the capture of part of the Italian line on the Vodila, and the Italians promptly drove back their foes.

Austrians making an attack in the Zagora section were mowed down by Italian artillery.

The King Recovering Slowly.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—King George who was injured by a fall from his horse on Thursday last, is suffering less pain, but is yet weak from the effects of his hurts, an official bulletin stated. The bulletin read:

"The King makes slow progress. The pain is diminishing, but his Majesty is still weak. Pulse and temperature normal."

(Signed) "Anthony Bowby,
Bertrand Dawson."

Two Prize Steamers Arrive at Halifax

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 2.—Prize crews from warships have brought two steamers into Halifax. They are the American steamer "Hocking" and the Dutch steamer "Hamborn," both from New York. The sheriff of the Admiralty Court has taken charge of both steamers. The "Hocking's" register was recently changed from Danish to American.

Botha Wins Suit.

JOHANNESBURG, Nov. 2.—The jury in the case brought by Premier Botha against a Nationalist candidate for Parliament in the recent election, named Mannik, rendered a verdict against the defendant yesterday. Mannik was charged with having slandered the Premier during the campaign by asking what he had done with gold bars valued at \$3,750,000 left in possession of Botha and two other persons on the departure of Paul Kruger from South Africa. Mannik asserted the gold never had been accounted for. He was sentenced to imprisonment for three months or to pay a fine of \$250. The case will be appealed.

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OTTAWA, Nov. 2.—A cablegram Saturday from Sir George Perley, in London, to Sir Robert Borden announced the death of Sir Charles Tupper, which occurred in the morning at Bexley Heath. The official cablegram reads:

"Sir Charles Tupper died peacefully this morning."

Charles Stewart Tupper of Winnipeg, son of the late James Stewart Tupper, and grandson of the late Sir Charles, succeeds to the Baronetcy. He is a son-in-law of Dr. Charles Morse, Registrar of the Exchequer Court of Ottawa, and is about to leave for the front, having obtained a commission in the Cameron Highlanders.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper of Victoria is a son.

The last of the Fathers of Confederation will be brought to the land he loved so well, and to which he gave all his energy, intellect, and enterprise. Sir Charles Tupper will sleep his last sleep in Amherst, his birthplace, the scene of his many political battles and victories. To Cumberland County will be brought "the war horse of Cumberland."

Britain will pay a last tribute to its greatest imperialist of the overseas dominions. A warship will be sent to convey the remains of the great statesman to Halifax. Twenty years ago the battleship "Blenheim" performed a similar duty when the body of Sir John Thompson was brought from London to the same city.

Canada will give a national funeral to the last of the Fathers of Confederation, and a national memorial to him will be erected in the capital. This will be done at once, so that it may be completed and unveiled in 1917, on the fiftieth anniversary of the confederation of the provinces in which Sir Charles played a part not even second to Macdonald, Brown, or Cartier.

RUSSIANS ON OFFENSIVE.

General Movement is Reported—

Riga Now Safe From Capture.

PARIS, Nov. 2.—"It appears from news through a German source received here last night," says the Havas correspondent at Geneva, "that the Russians have taken the offensive on the Niemen and upper Szczara Rivers, as well as at Dvinsk and on the Styr and Stripa Rivers, and with considerable success in the latter sections."

The Germans, having failed in two months of almost incessant attacks to reach Riga and Dvinsk by various routes, are now trying along the railway which skirts the shores of the Gulf of Riga from Tukum, and have, according to their reports, reached a point west of Schlok. This is a very slight advance, and much low ground, over which it is difficult to move, lies between them and their objective.

A private message from Riga says that there is great rejoicing in the city. They consider the present developments have removed the danger created by the vigorous German attack begun over a fortnight ago.

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General French Speaks Highly of New Division.

British Commander-in-Chief Issues

Long Review of Operations Since Sept. 25—Enemy Left Nearly 9,000 Dead Along the British Front on Oct. 8—Enemy Has Retaken Tahure Hill.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—How the British strengthened their artillery by the introduction of new weapons and the skilful handling of the old along the front in Flanders, where the Germans were driven back in the great offensive of Sept. 25, is the chief disclosure of popular interest in a long official despatch from Field Marshal Sir John French to Earl Kitchener, which was published last night under date of General Headquarters in France, Oct. 15.

General French refers to the arrival in the field from Canada of a new division, which he says is composed of excellent material.

"This division will, I am convinced, acquit itself as well as the first Canadian division always has done," the Field Marshal says.

The despatch is mainly a technical military review of the inception, the carrying out and the aftermath of the fighting around La Bassee, Loos, and Hulluch. Nevertheless it brings to the British public for the first time a full realization of the intensity with which the Germans launched their counter-attacks. These, Gen. French says, were almost continuous from the day of the big British attack up to and including October 8.

Then, the Field Marshal writes, the Germans delivered an attack with some twenty-eight battalions in the front line and with larger forces in support, which was preceded by a very heavy bombardment on all parts of the German front.

"At all points of the line except two the Germans were repulsed with tremendous loss, and it is computed on reliable authority they left some eight or nine thousand dead in front of the British and French trenches," Gen. French says.

As a net result of two days of fighting along the Champagne front the Germans have recaptured Tahure Hill, from which the French batteries menaced the Challerange-Bazancourt railway, the main supply line of all the German troops in the Soissons salient. The Germans attacked on a five-mile front, with strong reinforcements of veterans from the Russian front fighting in the first line.

Following this success the Germans on Sunday made four successive

DISTANCE A GUN CAN SHOOT.

Main Factors Are Initial Velocity and Angle of Elevation.

The distance a shot can be thrown depends primarily on two things—the velocity with which it leaves the muzzle and the angle of elevation above the horizontal. Other things affect it also, but these two are all important. Of course a light shell will lose its velocity quicker than a heavy one, for it has less stored up energy to overcome the friction of the air. Temperature and the humidity of the air both have their effect. But the two great features are initial velocity and angle of elevation.

Any one who throws a ball knows that it is higher near the center of its flight than at either end. The farther it is thrown the higher it is at the center. It was long ago found that any projectile to reach a maximum range must be thrown at about forty-five degrees above the horizontal. This applies to a baseball as well as a 1,000 pound shell. If it is thrown higher it falls short in distance, for too much of our effort has been expended in giving it height. If thrown lower gravitation pulls it to the ground before it has covered its maximum distance.

Another thing—the ball or shell falls at a greater angle than that with which it started. If it is thrown at forty-five degrees elevation it will fall with nearer sixty degrees because of the retarding effect of the atmospheric friction. This friction is continually slowing up the projectile and eventually all but stops it. But meantime the action of gravitation is pulling it farther and farther downward from its initial path. The net result is to bring it to earth much sooner than if the second half of its flight were the counterpart (reversed) of the first half.—Sidney Graves Koon, M. E., in Leslie's.

CHINESE HUMOR.

The Story of the Careless Man and His Puzzled Servant.

There was a man who was careless and unobserving. Once, when he was going abroad, he hastily pulled on his shoes, ready to hasten away, when, to his surprise, he found that one of his legs had suddenly become longer than the other.

He was both puzzled and frightened, for he said to himself: "What can be the matter? When I last walked my legs were the same length. How queer it is! I have met with no accident nor has any one cut a piece from my foot palm."

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OTTAWA, Nov. 2.—With the original Shell Committee, appointed by the Canadian Government and the Minister of Militia, reorganized into the "Canadian Munitions Committee," under the direct control of the Imperial Ministry of Munitions, and with a new system of tendering adopted, Mr. D. A. Thomas, who has been for five months on this side of the Atlantic as the special representative of Mr. Lloyd George, Minister of Munitions, left for New York Monday afternoon en route for home, evidently well pleased with the reorganization which had been effected.

In an interview given yesterday afternoon before leaving he briefly reviewed what had been accomplished; declined to discuss in any detail the criticisms which had been made as to the high prices allowed to the manufacturers in Canada hitherto; prophesied an immense stimulus to the whole munitions industry in Canada in the near future, and referred to very large orders which were coming from Great Britain.

For Canada, he said, the estimated value of the total war orders either already placed or coming was close to half a billion, or over sixty dollars per head of population. These orders, with the great harvest of this year, should spell industrial prosperity for the Dominion for some time to come.

TRANSPORTS REACH ENGLAND.

"Saxonia" and "Lapland" Arrive With 4,803 Canadians.

OTTAWA, Nov. 2.—The arrival in England of two more Canadian troopships, the Saxonia and the Lapland, with 161 officers and 4,642 men on board, is officially announced.

The Saxonia, which sailed from Canada on October 18, arrived at the English port of disembarkation on Friday last with the following troops: 40th Nova Scotia Battalion, 40 officers and 1,090 men; 41st French-Canadian Battalion, 36 officers and 1,082 men, drafts; Fort Garry Horse, 3 officers and 100 men; Royal Canadian Regiment, 2 officers and 67 men; Medical Corps, 1 officer and 55 men; detail, 2 officers and 6 men.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for a list of testimonials.

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on reliable authority they left some eight or nine thousand dead in front of the British and French trenches," Gen. French says.

As a net result of two days of fighting along the Champagne front the Germans have recaptured Tahure Hill, from which the French batteries menaced the Challerange-Bazancourt railway, the main supply line of all the German troops in the Soissons salient. The Germans attacked on a five-mile front, with strong reinforcements of veterans from the Russian front fighting in the first line.

Following this success the Germans on Sunday made four successive assaults on the French defences in an effort to enlarge their gains and take the village of Tahure, a mile south of the hill. Despite minute artillery preparations and heavily massed attacks, the Germans were thrown back in each of these assaults. According to Paris, they suffered heavy losses. French reports detail the capture of 356 unwounded prisoners, against 1,215 prisoners claimed to have been taken by the Germans in the two days' operations.

Though military interests centres for the moment on the fighting in Champagne, there was another important action fought to the north-east of Neuville-St. Vaast, in Artois, while the Champagne battle was going on. Here the Bavarian troops captured nearly 1,200 yards of French trenches, taking 200 prisoners, four machine guns and three mine-throwers. The French quickly recovered, however, and counter-attacking, expelled the Germans from a section of the lost trenches. Fighting for possession of the remainder of the works still is in progress.

Big Artillery Duels.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—The official statement issued Sunday night reads as follows:

"In the course of spirited artillery actions in the region of Lombaertzyde our batteries demolished several enemy observation posts.

"In Artois an artillery duel has continued to the north and to the east of Souchez, being particularly marked in the neighborhood of the Bois en Hache.

"To the north-east of Neuville-St. Vaast the struggle continues with great obstinacy for possession of those sections of trenches where the enemy penetrated Saturday. We have retaken part of them.

"In Champagne the Germans, after a fresh artillery preparation, with the employment of large quantities of suffocating shells of large calibre, renewed their attacks in the region to the north of Le Mesnil. They attempted during the course of the day four successive assaults—the first at six o'clock, on the extreme east of 'La Courtine'; the second at midday against Tahure; the third at two o'clock, to the south of the village; the fourth at four o'clock, against the ridges to the north-east.

"Everywhere our artillery and infantry fire stopped their progress and obliged them to retreat in disorder to the trenches which they had left. Their losses were again very heavy. Three hundred and fifty-six unwounded prisoners, of whom three were officers, remained in our hands.

"Artillery engagements are reported in the Vosges. They were particularly violent in the regions of the Ball-de-Sapt and Violu."

A Warning.

Doctor—You've had a terrible shock. Patient—It's up to you to see that I don't have another when I get your bill.

Which Side or Both? Omeier—Why have you only one spur on? Private—if I get one side of the horse to move, I get the other, don't I?

—Every Week.

and unobserving. Once, when he was going abroad, he hastily pulled on his shoes, ready to hasten away, when, to his surprise, he found that one of his legs had suddenly become longer than the other.

He was both puzzled and frightened, for he said to himself: "What can be the matter? When I last walked my legs were the same length. How queer it is! I have met with no accident nor has any one cut a piece from my foot palm."

He felt his legs and then his feet to solve the mystery. At last he discovered the mistake to be in his shoes, for he had put on one shoe with a thick sole and one with a thin sole.

"These shoes are odd ones and not a pair," said he. So he called loudly for his servant and ordered him quickly to change his boots.

The servant went into the room to bring the master's boots, but after a little time came back with a much puzzled expression on his face. His master sternly demanded the boots for which he had sent him, but received for his answer:

"Dear master, it is very strange, but there is no use for me to change your boots, for when I examined the pair of boots in the room I found that they are just like the pair you have on, for one has a thick sole and the other a thin sole."—Chinese Fun and Philosophy, in St. Nicholas.

Pasturing One Person.

How much land does it take to support a cow or a horse or a hog? Rather important questions to every one of us, but not so important as the query:

How much land does it take to support a person?

A recent survey made by the United States government in Ohio seems to show that it costs on the average \$197 to board and house each person on the farm.

That is, the husband, wife and three children must have an income of \$985 if they live as well as the average.

This is the income in dollars, and the examination—on forty-four farms—indicates that it takes forty acres to "pasture" a person.—Farm and Fireside.

Asking Too Much.

"If at the end of the first year of your married life," said the bride's father, "you can convince me that you have been a good husband and have made my daughter happy, I will give you \$5,000."

"Another of these people," said the groom when he was alone again, "who think a man will do anything for money."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Positive Proof.

"I can say this much for Deacon Blowster. He takes his religion seriously."

"Yes. When anybody puts a counterfeit quarter in the collection plate he gets as mad as if it were a personal loss."—Brooklyn Citizen.

The Unexpected.

"Sir, I admit being a poor man, but I am determined to marry your daughter in spite of her wealth."

"Oh, well, if that's the case I'll just remove the obstacle!"—Judge.

Fashion Changes.

Mrs. Nuwed—When we got married didn't you promise me a new hat every season? Nuwed—But you never told me that there were about a dozen hats seasons in a year.—Life.

The BLACK BOX

By E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM

Author of "Mr. Grey of Monte Carlo," "The Vanished Messenger," "The Lighted Way," etc.

Novelized from the motion picture drama of the same name produced by the Universal Film Manufacturing Company. Illustrated with photographs from the motion picture production

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SYNOPSIS.

Sanford Quest, master criminologist of the world, finds that in bringing to justice Macdougal, the murderer of Lord Ashleigh's daughter, he has but just begun a life-and-death struggle with a mysterious master criminal. In a hidden hut in Professor Ashleigh's garden he has seen an anthropoid ape skeleton and a living inhuman creature, half monkey, half man, destroyed by fire. In his rooms have appeared from nowhere black boxes containing sarcastic, threatening notes, signed by a pair of armless hands. Laura and Lenora, his assistants, suspect Craig, the professor's servant, of a double murder. The black boxes continue to appear in uncanny fashion. Craig is trapped by Quest, but escapes to England, where Quest, Lenora and the professor follow him. Lord Ashleigh is murdered by the hands. Lenora is abducted in London and rescued. Craig is captured and escapes to Port Said.

TENTH INSTALLMENT

CHAPTER XXII.

THE SHIP OF HORROR.

Quest leaned a little forward and gazed down the line of steamer chairs. The professor, in a borrowed overcoat and cap, was reclining at full length, studying a book on seagulls which he had found in the library. Laura and Lenora were both dozing tranquilly. Mr. Harris of Scotland Yard was deep in a volume of detective stories.

"As a pleasure cruise," Quest remarked grimly, "this little excursion seems to be a complete success."

Laura opened her eyes at once.

"Trying to get my goat again, eh?" she retorted. "I suppose that's what you're after. Going to tell me, I suppose, that it wasn't Craig I saw aboard this steamer?"

"We are all liable to make mistakes," Quest observed, "and I am inclined to believe that this is one of yours."

Laura's expression was a little dogged.

"If he's too clever for you and Mr. Harris," she said, "I can't help that. I only know that he came on board. My eyes are the one thing in life I do believe."

"If you'll excuse me saying so, Miss Laura," Harris ventured, leaning deferentially towards her, "there isn't a passenger on board this ship, or a servant, or one of the crew, whom we haven't seen. We've been into every stateroom, and we've even searched the hold. We've been over the ship, backwards and forwards. The captain's own steward has been our guide, and we've conducted an extra search on our own account. Personally, I must say I have come to the same conclusion as Mr. Quest. At the present moment there is no such person as the man we are looking for on board this steamer."

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shown by the steward to a seat by Quest's side. She acknowledged the captain's greeting acidly.

"Good evening, captain," she said. "I understood from the second steward that the seat on your right hand would be reserved for me. I am Mrs. Foston Rowe."

The captain received the announcement calmly.

"Very pleased to have you at the table, madam," he replied. "As to the seating, I leave that entirely to the steward. I never interfere myself."

Laura pinched his arm, and Lenora glanced away to hide a smile. Mrs. Foston Rowe studied the menu disapprovingly.

"Hors d'oeuvres," she declared, "I never touch. No one knows how long they've been opened. Bouillon—I will have some bouillon, steward."

"In one moment, madam."

The professor came ambling along towards the table.

"I fear that I am a few moments late," he remarked, as he took the chair next to Mrs. Foston Rowe. "I offer you my apologies, captain. I congratulate you upon your library. I have discovered a most interesting book upon the habits of seagulls. It kept me engrossed until the very last moment, and I am hungry."

"Well, you'll have to stay hungry a long time at this table then," Mrs. Foston Rowe snapped. "Seems to me that the service is going to be abominable."

The steward, who had just arrived, presented a cup of bouillon to Quest. The others had all been served. Quest stirred it thoughtfully.

"And as to the custom," Mrs. Foston Rowe continued, "of serving gentlemen before ladies, it is, I suppose, peculiar to this steamer."

Quest hastily laid down his spoon, raised the cup of bouillon and presented it with a little bow to his neighbor.

"Pray allow me, madam," he begged. "The steward was to blame."

Mrs. Foston Rowe did not hesitate for a moment. She broke up some toast in the bouillon and commenced to sip it.

The spoon suddenly went clattering from her fingers. She caught at the sides of the table, there was a strange



"Any chance of anyone getting at it?"

"Quite impossible, sir."

In Quest's stateroom the doctor, the professor, Quest and Lenora were all gathered around two little tubes, which the criminologist was examining with an electric torch.

"No reaction at all," the latter muttered. "This isn't an ordinary poison, anyway."

The professor, who had been standing on one side, suddenly gave vent to a soft exclamation.

"Wait!" he whispered. "Wait! I have an idea."

He hurried off to his stateroom. The doctor was poring over a volume of tabulated poisons. Quest was still watching his tubes. Lenora sat upon the couch. Suddenly the professor reappeared. He was carrying a small notebook in his hand, his manner betrayed some excitement. He closed the door carefully behind him.

"I want you all," he begged, "to listen very carefully to me. You will discover the application of what I am going to read when I am finished. Now, if you please."

"This," he began, "is the diary of a tour made by Craig and myself in northern Egypt some fourteen years ago. Here is the first entry of import:

MONDAY—Twenty-nine miles southeast of Port Said. We have stayed for two days at a little Mongar village. I have today come to the definite conclusion that anthropoid apes were at one time denizens of this country.

TUESDAY—Both Craig and I have been a little uneasy today. These Mongars into whose encampment we have found our way, are one of the strangest and fiercest of the nomad tribes. They are descended, without a doubt, from the ancient Mongolians, who invaded this country some seven hundred years before Christ, but have preserved in a marvelous way their individuality as a race. They have the narrow eyes and the thick nose base of the pure Oriental; also much of his cunning. One of their special weaknesses seems to be the invention of the most hideous forms of torture, which they apply remorselessly to their enemies.

WEDNESDAY—This has been a wonderful day for us, chiefly owing to what I must place on record as an act of great bravery by Craig, my servant. Early this morning, a man-eating lion found his way into the encampment. The Mongars behaved like arrant cowards. They fled right and left, leaving the chief's little daughter, Feorda, at the brute's mercy. Craig, who is by no means an adept in the use of firearms, chased the animal as he was making off with the child, and, more by good luck than anything else, managed to wound it mortally. He brought the child back to the encampment just as the chief and the warriors of the tribe returned from a hunting expedition. Our position here is now absolutely secure. We are treated like gods, and, appreciating my weakness for all matters of science, the chief has today explained to me many of the secret mysteries of the tribe. Amongst other things, he has shown me a wonderful secret poison, known only to this tribe, which they call Veedemzoo. It brings almost instant death, and is exceedingly difficult to trace. The addition of sugar causes a curious condensation and resolves it almost to a white paste. The only antidote is a substance which they use here freely, and which is exactly equivalent to our camphor.

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"Come on, Harris, you and I promised to report to the captain this morning. I don't suppose he'll be any too pleased with us. Let's get through with it."

The two men walked down the deck together. They found the captain alone in his room, with a chart spread out in front of him and a pair of compasses in his hand. He turned round and greeted them.

"Well?"

"No luck, sir," Quest announced. "Your steward has given us every assistance possible and we have searched the ship thoroughly. Unless he has found a hiding place unknown to your steward, and not apparent to us, the man is not on board."

The captain frowned slightly.

"You are not suggesting that this is possible, I suppose?"

"Quest did not at once reply. He was thinking of Laura's obstinacy.

"Personally," he admitted, "I should not have believed it possible. The young lady of our party, however, who declares that she saw Craig board the steamer, is quite immovable."

"Brown," said the captain, turning to the steward, "I understand that you say that you have taken these gentlemen into every corner of the ship, that you have ransacked every possible hiding place, that you have given them every possible opportunity of searching for themselves?"

"That is quite true, sir," the man acknowledged.

"You agree with me that it is impossible for anyone to remain hidden in this ship?"

"Absolutely, sir."

"You hear, gentlemen?" the captain continued. "I really can do no more. What the mischief are you hanging about for, Brown?" he asked, turning to the steward, who was standing by with a carpet-sweeper in his hand.

"Room wants cleaning out badly, sir."

The captain glanced distastefully at the carpet-sweeper.

"Do it when I am at dinner, then," he ordered, "and take that damned thing away."

The steward obeyed promptly. Quest and Harris followed him down the deck.

"Queer-looking fellow, that," the latter remarked. "Doesn't seem quite at his ease, does he?"

"Seemed a trifle overanxious, I thought, when he was showing us round the ship," Quest agreed.

"Mem..." Harris murmured, softly, "as the gentleman who wrote the volume of detective stories I am reading puts it, to keep our eye on Brown."

The captain, who was down to dinner unusually early, rose to welcome Quest's little party, and himself arranged the seats.

They settled down into the places arranged for them.

An elderly lady, dressed in somewhat oppressive black, with a big cameo brooch at her throat and a black satin bag in her hand, was being



"A Message From the Hands! Look!"

look in her face. With scarcely a murmur she fell back in her seat. Quest leaned hurriedly forward.

There was a slight commotion. The doctor came hurrying up from the other side of the saloon. He bent over her and his face grew grave.

"What is it?" the captain demanded.

The doctor glanced at him meaningfully.

"She had better be carried out," he whispered.

"Was it a faint?" Lenora asked.

"We shall know directly," the captain replied. "Better keep your places I think. Steward, serve the dinner as usual."

The man held out his hand to withdraw the cup of bouillon, but Quest drew it towards him.

"Let it wait for a moment," he ordered.

He glanced at the captain, who nodded back. In a few moments the doctor reappeared. He leaned down and whispered to the captain.

"Dead!"

Quest turned around.

"Doctor," he said, "I happen to have my chemical chest with me, and some special testing tubes. If you'll allow me, I'd like to examine this cup of bouillon. You might come round, too, if you will."

The captain nodded.

"I'd better stay here for a time," he decided. "I'll follow you presently."

The service of dinner was resumed. Laura, however, sent plate after plate away. The captain watched her anxiously.

"I can't help it," she explained. "I don't know whether you've had any talk with Mr. Quest, but we've been through some queer times lately. I guess this death business is getting on my nerves."

The captain was startled.

"You don't for a moment connect Mrs. Foston Rowe's death with the criminal you are in search of?" he exclaimed.

Laura sat quite still for a moment.

"The bouillon was offered first to Mr. Quest," she murmured.

The captain called his steward.

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"It is Mongar poison!" the professor cried, with breaking voice.

They all looked at one another.

"Craig must be here amongst us," Quest muttered.

"And the bouillon," Laura cried, clasping Quest's arm, "the bouillon was meant for you!" . . .

There seemed to be, somehow, among all of them, a curious indisposition to discuss this matter. Suddenly Lenora, who was sitting on the lounge underneath the porthole, put out her hand and picked up a card which was lying by his side. She glanced at it, at first, curiously. Then she shrieked.

"A message!" she cried. "A message from The Hands! Look!"

They crowded around her. In that same familiar handwriting was scrawled across the face of the card these few words:

To Sanford Quest:

You have escaped this time by a chance of fortune, not because your wits are keen, not because of your own shrewdness; simply because Fate willed it. It will not be for long.

Underneath was the drawing of the clenched hands.

"There is no longer any doubt," Lenora said calmly. "Craig is on board. He must have been on deck a few minutes ago. It was his hand which placed this card on the port-hole. . . . Listen! What's that?"

There was a scream from the deck. They all recognized Laura's voice. Harris was out of the stateroom first, but they were all on deck within ten seconds. Laura was standing with one hand clasping the rail, her hand fiercely outstretched towards the lower part of the promenade deck. Through the darkness they heard the sound of angry voices.

"What is it, Laura?" Lenora cried. She swung round upon them.

"Craig!" she cried. "Craig! I saw his face as I sat in my chair there, talking to the captain. I saw a man's white face—nothing else. He must have been leaning over the rail. He heard me call out and he disappeared."

The captain came slowly out of the shadows, limping a little, and followed by his steward, who was murmuring profuse apologies.

"Did you find him?" Laura demanded, eagerly.

"I did not," the captain replied, a little tersely. "I ran into Brown here and we both had a shake-up."

"But he was there—a second ago!" Laura cried out.

"I beg your pardon, miss," Brown ventured, "but the deck's closed at the end, as you can see, with sail-cloth, and I was leaning over the rail myself when you shrieked. There wasn't anyone else near me, and no one can possibly have passed round

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He held out a card. Quest read aloud:

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"That's the point—the whole point the professor exclaimed excitedly. "He's done us! He's landed! The paper was pushed into my hand a tall Arab, who mumbled something and hurried off across the docks. the landing stage, mind!"

The captain came and put his hand out of the door.

"Mr. Quest," he said, "can you spare me a moment? You can all come, you like."

They moved up towards him. The captain closed the door of his cabin. He pointed to a carpet-sweeper which lay against the wall.

"Look at that," he invited.

They lifted the top. Inside were several sandwiches and a small can of tea.

"What on earth is this?" Quest demanded.

The captain, without a word, led them into his inner room. A huge lounge stood in one corner. He lifted the valance. Underneath were some crumbs.

"You see," he pointed out, "there room there for a man to have hidden especially if he could crawl out deck at night. I couldn't make out why the dickens Brown was always sweeping out my room, and I took this thing a little time ago and look at it. This is what I found."

"Where's Brown?" Quest asked quickly.

"I rang down for the chief steward, the captain continued, "and ordered Brown to be sent up at once. The chief steward came himself instead. It seems Brown went off without wages, but with a huge parcel of bedding, on the first barge this morning, before anyone was about."

Quest groaned as he turned away.

"Captain," he declared, "I am ashamed. He has been here all the time and we've let him slip through our fingers. Girls," he went on briskly, turning towards Laura, who had just come up, "India's off. We catch this barge, if there's time. Our luggage can be put on shore when the boat docks."

The captain walked gloomily with them to the gangway.

"Professor," Quest asked, "how long would it take us to get to this Mongolian village you spoke about?"

"Two or three days, if we can get camels," the other replied. "I see you agree with me, then, as to Craig's probable destination?"

Quest nodded.

"What sort of fellows are they, anyway?" he asked. "Will it be safe for us to push on alone?"

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They disembarked and were driven to the hotel, still discussing their project. The professor had disappeared for some time, but rejoined them later.

"It is all arranged," he announced. "I found a dragoman whom I knew. We shall have four of the best camels and a small escort ready to start tomorrow morning. Furthermore, I have news. An Englishman, whose description precisely tallies with Craig's, started off only an hour ago in the same direction. This time, at any rate, Craig cannot escape us."

They made their way back to the hotel, dined in a cool, bare room, and sauntered out again into the streets. The professor led the way to a little building, outside which a man was vulnerability inviting all to enter.

"You shall see one of the sights of Port Said," he promised. "This is a real Egyptian dancing girl."

A girl who seemed to be dressed in little more than a winding veil, glided on to the stage, swaying and moving slowly to the rhythm of the monotonous music. She danced a measure which none of them except the professor had ever seen before, coming now and then so close that they could almost feel her hot breath, and Lenora felt somewhat vaguely disturbed by the glitter of her eyes.

Suddenly Laura leaned forward.

"Look at the professor," she whispered.

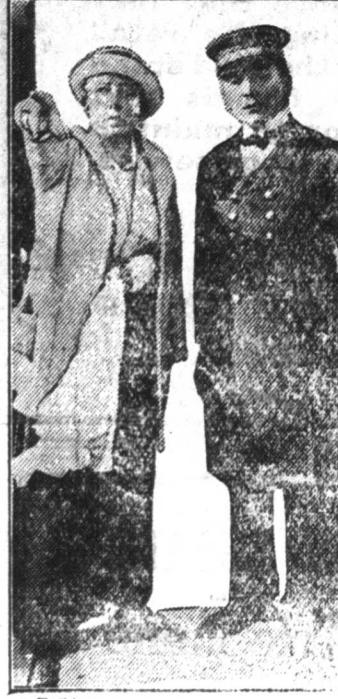
They all turned their heads. A queer change seemed to have come into the professor's face. His teeth were gleaming between his parted lips, his head was thrust forward a little, his eyes were filled with a strange, hard light. He was a transformed being, unrecognizable, perturbing. Even while they watched, the girl floated close to where he sat and leaned towards him with a queer, mocking smile. His hand suddenly descended upon her foot. She laughed still more. There was a little exclamation from Lenora. The professor's whole frame quivered. He snatched the anklet from the girl's ankle and bent over it.

"He's got news!" Quest muttered. He leaned towards him, a torrent of words streaming from her lips. The

head. They moved back to the fire.

"We are within a dozen miles or so of the Mongar village," Quest said grimly. "Do you suppose that fellow could have been watching?"

They all talked together for a time in low voices. The professor was in-



"Craig!" She cried, "Craig! I saw His Face There."

clined to scout the theory of Craig having approached them.

"You must remember," he pointed out, "that the Mongars hate these fellows. It was part of my arrangement with Hassan that they should leave us when we got in sight of the Mongar encampment. It may have been meant for Hassan. The Mongars hate the dragomen who bring tourists in this direction at all."

They talked a little while longer and finally stole away to their tents to sleep. Outside, the camel drivers talked still, chattering away, walking now and then around Hassan's body in solemn procession. Finally, one of them who seemed to have taken the lead, broke into an impassioned stream of words. Soon they stole away—a long, ghostly procession—into the night.

"Those fellows seem to have left off their infernal chattering all of a sudden," Quest remarked, lazily, from inside the tent.

The professor made no answer. He was asleep.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

REMARKABLE CASE of Mrs. HAM

Declares Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her Life and Sanity.

Shamrock, Mo.—"I feel it my duty to tell the public the condition of my health before using your medicine. I had falling, inflammation and congestion, female weakness, pains in both sides, backaches and bearing down pains, was short of memory, nervous, impatient, passed sleepless nights, and had neither strength nor energy. There was always a fear and dread in my mind, I had cold, nervous, weak spells, hot flashes over my body. I had a place in my right side that was so sore that I could hardly bear the weight of my clothes. I tried medicines and doctors, but they did me little good, and I never expected to get out again. I got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier, and I certainly would have been in grave or in an asylum if your medicines had not saved me. But now I can work all day, sleep well at night, eat anything I want, have no hot flashes or weak, nervous spells. All pains, aches, fears and dreads are gone, my house, children and husband are no longer neglected, as I am almost entirely free of the bad symptoms I had before taking your remedies, and all is pleasure and happiness in my home."—Mrs. JOSEPH HAM, R. F. D. 1, Box 22, Shamrock, Missouri.

If you want special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass.

NORTHERN AFRICA.

Where Once the Ancient Romans Ruled In Wealth and Splendor.

It is not generally realized that during the early centuries of our era the Roman proconsular province of Africa rivaled Italy itself in wealth and brilliancy and that in what are now Tunisia and Algeria there exist Roman ruins that vie in number, splendor, and state of preservation with those to be found anywhere else.

The fall of Carthage in 146 B. C. led the Romans to establish themselves in North Africa, at first in a modest settlement, the purpose of which was to see that the Phoenician city was not rebuilt. Ere long they themselves, however, reoccupied the site and built on it a city that became the third in the empire.

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SEE THE PICTURES AT WONDERLAND

INVISIBLE ICEBERGS.

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In a recent communication to the New York Tribune Abbott H. Thayer, the artist, asserts that many vessels have been lost by collisions with icebergs because under certain conditions of sky and light they are invisible. He

Harris inquired.

"We may when the boat moves up," Quest replied. "The professor went off on the first barge. Here he is, coming back."

A little boat had shot out from the docks, manned by a couple of Arabs. They could see the professor seated in the stern. He was poring over a small document which he held in his hand. He waved to them excitedly.

"He's got news!" Quest muttered.

He came straight to Quest and Lenora and gripped the former by the arm.

"Look!" he cried. "Look!"

He held out a card. Quest read it aloud:

There is not one amongst you with the wit of a Mongar child. Good-by!

The Hands!

"Where did you get it?" Quest demanded.

"That's the point—the whole point!" the professor exclaimed excitedly. "He's done us! He's landed! That paper was pushed into my hand by a tall Arab, who mumbled something and hurried off across the docks. On the landing stage, mind!"

The captain came and put his head out of the door.

"Mr. Quest," he said, "can you spare me a moment? You can all come, if you like."

They moved up towards him. The captain closed the door of his cabin. He pointed to a carpet-sweeper which lay against the wall.

"Look at that," he invited.

They lifted the top. Inside were several sandwiches and a small can of tea.

"What on earth is this?" Quest demanded.

The captain, without a word, led them into his inner room. A huge lounge stood in one corner. He lifted the valance. Underneath were some crumbs.

"You see," he pointed out, "there's room there for a man to have hidden, especially if he could crawl out on deck at night. I couldn't make out why the Dickens Brown was always sweeping out my room, and I took up this thing a little time ago and looked at it. This is what I found."

"Where's Brown?" Quest asked, quickly.

"I rang down for the chief steward," the captain continued, "and ordered Brown to be sent up at once. The chief steward came himself instead. It seems Brown went off without his wages, but with a huge parcel of bedding, on the first barge this morning, before anyone was about."

Quest groaned as he turned away.

"Captain," he declared, "I am ashamed. He has been here all the time and we've let him slip through our fingers. Girls," he went on briskly, turning towards Laura, who had just come up, "India's off. We'll catch this barge, if there's time. Our luggage can be put on shore when the boat docks."

The captain walked gloomily with them to the gangway.

"Professor," Quest asked, "how long would it take us to get to this Mongar village you spoke about?"

"Two or three days, if we can get camels," the other replied. "I see you agree with me, then, as to Craig's probable destination?"

Quest nodded.

"What sort of fellows are they, anyway?" he asked. "Will it be safe for us to push on alone?"

"With me," the professor assured him, "you will be safe anywhere. I

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"Say, we'll get out of this," Quest said. "The girls have had enough."

The professor made no objection.

"Congratulate me," he said. "I have been a collector of Egyptian gold ornaments all my life. This is the one anklet I needed to complete my collection.

It has the double mark of the Pharaohs. I recognized it at once. There are a thousand like it, you would think, in the bazaars there. In reality there may be, perhaps, a dozen more in all Egypt which are genuine."

They all looked at one another. Their relief had grown too poignant for words.

"Early start tomorrow," Quest reminded them.

Lenora, a few nights later, looked down from the star-strewn sky which seemed suddenly to have dropped so much nearer to them, to the shadows thrown across the desert by the dancing flames of their fire.

Laura rose to her feet.

"Say, I'm going to get a drink," she announced.

The dragoman who had been hovering around, bowed gravely and pointed towards the water bottles.

She took the horn cup from the dragoman.

"Have some yourself, if you want to, Hassan," she invited.

Hassan bowed gravely, filled a cup and drank it off. He stood for a moment perfectly still, as though something were coming over him which he failed to understand. Then his lips parted, his eyes for a moment seemed to shoot from out of his dusky skin. He threw up his arms and fell over on his side. Laura, who had only sipped her cup, threw it from her. She, too, reeled for a moment. The professor and Quest came running up, attracted by Lenora's shriek.

"They're poisoned!" she cried.

"The Veedemoo!" Quest shouted. "My God! Pull yourself together, Laura. Hold up for a minute."

He dashed back to their little encampment and reappeared almost immediately. He threw Laura's head back and forced some liquid down her throat.

"It's camphor!" he cried. "You'll be all right, Laura. Hold on to yourself."

He swung round to where the dragoman was lying, forced his mouth open, but it was too late—the man was dead. He returned to Laura. She stumbled to her feet. She was pale, and drops of perspiration were standing on her forehead. She was able to rise to her feet, however, without assistance.

"I am all right now," she declared. Quest felt her pulse and her fore-

AT WONDERLAND

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In a recent communication to the New York Tribune Abbott H. Thayer, the artist, asserts that many vessels have been lost by collisions with icebergs because under certain conditions of sky and light they are invisible. He cites the fact that on the occasion of the Titanic disaster, although the black ship was clearly visible to survivors at a distance of several miles, they could not see the white bergs against which they actually heard the wash of the sea.

Mr. Thayer claims that on a clear, starry night the bergs are so nearly the same color as the sky that they are totally invisible and that the same is the case under many conditions of cloudiness, the only exception being when the side of the berg viewed is in such shadow that it shows black against the sky. In other words, it is impossible to see white, against white.

In answer to the criticism of those who say they never saw a berg at night that was the color of the sky the answer is that this is very natural, because this is the very condition under which the berg is invisible. Mr. Thayer makes the suggestion that a very simple way to avoid the danger of colliding with an invisible berg would be to use a searchlight. The reflection would show up the berg very plainly.

ROMANCE IN GEOGRAPHY.

Names That Speak of Achievement and of Desperate Need.

Geography is a fascinating study. The history of the human race is written in large characters on the earth's surface for the seeing eye.

Most people know that Pike's peak commemorates the explorations of a daring young officer early in the last century. But how many know that in the name of the Bill Williams river lingers the only memorial to a famous trapper and Indian fighter of Kit Carson's time, to whom the Rocky mountain country was an open book before even Fremont "blazed the trail" to the Pacific.

It is around Hudson straits that names cry most loudly of achievement and of desperate need. Fancy what the Bay of God's Mercy meant to the man who first gave it that name! Or the heart breaking effort indicated by Terror point. Contrast Repulse bay and Mistake bay with the peace implied in Home bay and Cape Comfort.

It is difficult to estimate the exact depth and breadth of the irony that found vent in Navy Board inlet, while Mary Jones bay fairly breathes a longing for the commonplace comforts and safety of home. Resolution island and Hope's Advance bay speak sturdily of the undiminished courage of whalers or explorers in those barren waters.—Outing.

CASTORIA

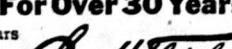
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The country was much more extensively cultivated and thickly populated than at present, and for centuries was the principal granary of Rome. After lasting for nearly six centuries Roman rule in North Africa was brought to an end by the invasion of the Vandals from Spain and their capture of Carthage in 430 A. D.—Argonaut.

DEEP BREATHING.

It Freshens Up the Whole System and Kills That Tired Feeling.

Deep breathing does more than benefit the lungs. Physiologists tell us that the great advantage is that it gives the liver a healthy squeeze. All organs in the abdominal cavity as well as the liver are apt to get overcharged with blood from careless habits of sitting. A relaxed sitting position causes the abdominal muscles to relax so that blood runs into this part of the body like water and it accumulates like a stagnant pool.

The blood needed in the brain is down in the liver. The condition produced led the ancients to refer to a man with the blues as a hypochondriac, which means, literally, down under the ribs. Today we speak of the condition as being down in the mouth because the lines of the face are pulled down.

Melancholy is due to a congested condition of the liver and other organs depriving the brain of blood necessary to keep up the normal balance of activity. When one is tired or feels the dejected feeling coming on, relief can be obtained by lying on the floor with a pillow under the middle of the back and taking a few long, deep breaths.

If the arms are thrown over the head and a dozen deep breaths are taken, a new spirit will come into the brain. Sometimes this is done automatically, as when we throw up the arms and straighten up after a crouched position at a desk.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Made a Difference.

Little Willie became slightly indisposed, and when the family doctor was called he prescribed some medicine in powder form.

"Come, Willie," said the fond mother, preparing one of the powders as soon as the medicine arrived from the drug store, "you must take this right away so that you will be well."

"No, I don't want to take it," whined Willie, backing away from the dose. "I don't need no medicine."

"Why, Willie," pleaded mother, gently drawing the boy toward her, "you never heard me complain about a little powder, did you?"

"No, an' neither would I," was the startling rejoinder of Willie, "if I could just put it on my face, like you do, but I have to swallow it."



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folks to read or sew. To-day
we make glasses for relief or

PERJURY IN COURT.

It is Quite Common and the Rules of
Evidence Favor It.

It is a conservative averment that two-thirds of the cases tried in court there is positive contradiction of facts. There are few arguments made by advocates in which bias and prevarication on the part of witnesses are not charged. Deplorably immoral as well as farcical is some of the evidence adduced in many cases where experts are used on both sides to support diametrically opposed propositions.

Any judge or practicing attorney knows that seldom does a party to a suit testify against his own interests in the decisive matters affecting the rights involved. Although perjury may not necessarily and invariably be predicated on these facts, yet they must lead to the conclusion of sworn misstatements in a large proportion of cases, especially when we recall that the oath of the witness requires him not only to tell the truth and nothing but the truth, but all the truth.

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TOWN COUNCIL

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Nays—Gibbard, Graham, Waller, and Walters—4.

Moved by Coun. Walters, seconded by Coun. Graham, that W. S. Exley be appointed night constable.

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Moved by Coun. Waller, seconded by Coun. Dickinson, that C. W. Foster be appointed night constable.

Lost on the following division:

Yea—Gibbard, Denison, Dickinson, Waller—4.

Nays—Osborne, Graham, Walters and Wiseman—4.

On motion the question was left over until next meeting of council.

Coun. Waller, chairman of the Fire Water and Light Committee, to which committee was referred the question of procuring a memorial tablet for the late Harvey Warner, to be erected in the Warner Park, laid before the council a working copy from the firm of Patterson & Heward, of Toronto. The design was 20½x17 inches, and would cost \$125.00.

Moved by Coun. Waller, seconded by Coun. Osborne, that the firm of Patterson & Heward, of Toronto, be given an order for a Memorial Tablau in accordance with specifications submitted by them. Carried.

It was intimated at the Board that Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia, would pay Napanee a visit in the near future and officially open the armouries at Napanee.

On motion of Councillors Waller and Osborne it was decided that an address be prepared and presented to Gen. Sir Sam Hughes upon the occasion of his coming visit to Napanee.

Coun. Waller brought up the question of having an electric light placed at the corner of Front and Union streets. Also the removal of the arc lamp at the corner of Dundas and Donald streets, and to be replaced by its equivalent in incandescent lights.

Moved by Coun. Osborne, seconded by Coun. Wiseman, that the Fire Water and Light Committee have power to act in making such alterations to the lighting system of the town as they deem necessary, in so far as no expense to the town is incurred. Carried.

A grant of \$5 was made to the Canadian Free Library for the Blind. On motion of Councillors Osborne and Graham, Chief of Police Barrett will be instructed to enforce the Municipal Motor Vehicle Act.

A by-law to raise by way of loan the sum of \$15,792.60 by the issue of debentures to meet the cost of construction of sidewalks and sewers, in the Town of Napanee, was introduced and passed. The loan will cover a period of twenty years and will bear 5½ per cent. interest.

On motion of Councillors Waller and Osborne the Streets Committee were instructed to report to the council at its next meeting in reference to all people who are liable for sewer rental

ACCOUNTS

The following accounts were ordered paid:

P. Gleeson.....

Women's Patriotic Service and Red Cross Wor

Through the Daughters of the Empire



The ladies of the 79 Telephone Lin Morven, have most kindly offered to serve tea for the above committee on Thursday, November 18th.

Make arrangements to be with us on this occasion. A very grateful acknowledgment has been received from the Canadian Field Comfort Commission at Shorncliffe, England for a fine box of comforts sent sometime since. Another splendid box was sent last month, containing many Christmas parcels and other needed comforts.

Do not forget our weekly work meeting on Thursdays, when we are glad to welcome all friends and workers, also on Saturdays, on both days the room is open until 5.30 p.m.



The Red Cross Society

The Society gratefully acknowledges the following donations, to be applied on the purchase—money of the Lennox and Addington Motor Ambulance: Daughters of the Empire Napanee, \$52.25; Switzerville Red Cross \$54.25; Wesley appointmen \$50; Maple Leaf Branch of Lennox Women's Institute \$40; Ladies Aid of Methodist Church, Roblin \$6.00 Mrs. Chas. Stevens Napanee \$5.00; Mrs. Marsh Parrott \$5.00; Mrs. Baker \$3.00; A friend \$1.00; Miss Dunwoody \$5.00.

At a meeting held in the Town Hall last Saturday, of the motor ambulance committee, it was decided to send the Ambulance to No. 5 Stationary Hospital (Queen's) at Cairo, Dr. J. C. Corneil, of Kingston, paying for the freight and insurance, for which the Society thank him.

A letter from Toronto, has been received, acknowledging the box of supplies sent October 30th.

We have a number of interesting letters from our boys at the front thanking us for the many gifts sent them, but we feel we cannot ask the Editor for space to publish these when we consider the amount of patriotic news that is being published free of charge each week.

The usual work-meeting will be held in the rooms on Saturday afternoon when tea will be served by some of the Ladies of Thomas' Church, Morven. The rooms will also be open in the morning.

RUMANIA FOR THE ALLIES; SOON TO ENTER THE WAR

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HOME NEWS — What's New



MANY YEARS AGO

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At Normile's Garage.

Court of Revision

Township of Richmond.

Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held pursuant to the Ontario Voters' Lists Act by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Lennox and Addington, at the town hall, in the Village of Selby, on MONDAY, NOVEMBER the 15th, 1915, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' Lists of the Municipality of Richmond for 1915.

JAS. McKITTRICK,
Tp. Clerk, Richmond
and Clerk of said Court

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We are forced to recognize, then, that perjury prevails as a common and crying evil.—Charles J. Martell in Case and Comment.

Hedgehog Fish.

The hedgehog fish is a strange creature. It has a body covered with long thin spines. When in danger it follows the custom of the ordinary hedgehog to a certain extent, but in addition it puts its nose out of the water and swallows such a quantity of air that its body is blown out into the shape of a football, with sharply pointed spines bristling in every direction. This maneuver upsets its balance. Still it floats contentedly along on its back, quite safe against the attacks of its opponents, who are kept at bay by impenetrable armor.

First European Railway.

The first carriages that ran on rails in Europe were those of a horse railway between Linz and Budweis, in Austria. This was in working order in 1827. Locomotive railways were much longer coming. The first line in a modern sense was opened from Paris to St. Germain in 1835, but railway development was greatly hindered by a terrible accident on the Paris-Versailles line in 1842. The next was the Brussels-Malines line in Belgium. Belgium was also the first country to begin, in 1830, systematic plans for a national network of railways. Prussia followed in 1835 and Austria-Hungary in 1838. The first great trunk line in Europe was from Paris to Rouen, opened in May, 1843.

Family Pride.

Mrs. Blunt—Well, Louisa, I don't suppose you will attempt to deny that your original ancestors were stone age ruffians who lived in a damp cave. Mrs. Tree—if my earliest ancestors were a part of the geologic period of which you speak they must have had a red sandstone chateau of their own on Flinthead avenue, with stalactite decorations and running water on the first floor.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Poi In Hawaii.

Poi, the Hawaiian national dish, is made by pounding up the cooked root of the taro plant—the Arum esculentum of the botanists—with water into a thick paste. When slightly fermented it has a pleasant, fruity, acid taste.

His Preference.

Farmer's Wife—Yes, I suppose I can let you have a cup of coffee. How do you take it? Frayed Phillip—With breakfast, please.—Boston Transcript.

It becomes a wise man to try negotiations before arms.—Terence.

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Chas. Stevens.....	2.50
M. S. Madole.....	24.43
Seymour Power Co., lights, etc.	
Disposal Works.....	.68
Town Hall.....	18.96
Fire Hall.....	.64
Fire Alarm.....	20.83
F. W. Smith & Bro.40
E. S. Lapum.....	10.00
J. L. Boyes.....	45.00
Dominion of Canada, Guarantee Company.....	28.00
McIntosh Bros.	3.05
A. S. Kimmerly.....	21.90
S. Lindsay.....	.50
Sun Insurance Co.	2.75
Waterworks Co.	882.50
Gutta Perch Rubber Co.	10.00
H. Ming.....	3.00
W. King.....	19.65
T. B. Wallace.....	4.81
P. Gleeson.....	15.50
Robert Light.....	92.88
Robert Light.....	145.03

The following accounts were referred to the different committees with power to act:

Chas. Stevens, \$37.40, Streets; Seymour Power Co., \$225.42, Fire Water and Light; Wallace's Drug Store, \$4.20, Streets; S. Woodcock, \$46.50, Police.

Council adjourned.

Story of a Dream.

Of course the medical sharps know it all, but let me tell what happened to me. I had a strikingly vivid dream in which I saw and spoke to a dead friend, and she emphasized what she said by laying her hand on my hair, a trick the dead girl had when living. The subject of her speech has no value. But when I woke I could almost feel her touch still. In a day or two I noticed my hair looked queer where she touched me, and it faded until I had four bars, almost white, across my red mop, just such as would be made by four fingers.—Letter in New York Times.

Homemade Rat Poison.

Farm and Fireside gives the following recipe for homemade rat poison:

Barium carbonate is a poison which in small quantities is harmless to the larger domestic animals, but will kill rats and mice. Mix four parts of meal or flour and one part of barium carbonate and place where the rats will find it, or mix ordinary oatmeal to a stiff dough in water, with about one-eighth its bulk of barium carbonate.

LABOR NECESSARY.

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The ladies of the 79 Telephone Line, orven, have most kindly offered to give tea for the above committee on tuesday, November 18th. Make arrangements to be with us on this occasion. A very grateful acknowledgment has been received from the Canadian Field Comforts Commission at Shorncliffe, England, for a fine box of comforts sent some time since. Another splendid box was sent last month, containing many Christmas parcels and other needed imports. Do not forget our weekly worketing on Thursdays, when we are ad to welcome all friends and workets, also on Saturdays, on both days e room is open until 5:30 p.m.



he Red Cross Society

The Society gratefully acknowledges the following donations, to be applied on the purchase—money of the enox and Addington Motor Ambulance: Daughters of the Empire, \$62.25; Switzerville Red Cross, \$54.25; Wesley appointment 50; Maple Leaf Branch of Lennox Women's Institute \$40; Ladies Aid Methodist Church, Roblin \$8.00; Mrs. Chas. Stevens Napane \$5.00; Mrs. Marsh Parrott \$5.00; Mrs. W. Aker \$8.00; A friend \$1.00; Miss Unwoody \$5.00.

At a meeting held in the Town Hall last Saturday, of the motor ambulance committee, it was decided to send the ambulance to No. 5 Stationary Hospital (Queen's) at Cairo, Dr. J. C. Connel, of Kingston, paying for the eight and Insurance, for which the society thank him.

A letter from Toronto, has been received, acknowledging the box of supplies sent October 30th.

We have a number of interesting letters from our boys at the front, ranking us for the many gifts sent, but we feel we cannot ask the editor for space to publish these, when we consider the amount of patriotic news that is being published free of charge each week.

The usual work-meeting will be held in the rooms on Saturday afternoon, when tea will be served by some of the Ladies of Thomas' Church, Moron. The rooms will also be open in the morning.

UMANIA FOR THE ALLIES; SOON TO ENTER THE WAR

BERLIN PRICES HIGH, AND MILK IS SCARCE

BERLIN FOOD PRICES.

Roast beef 75 cents per pound
Roast veal, 40 cents per pound.
Veal cutlets, 35 cents per pound.
Pork, 49 cents per pound.
Ham, 65 cents per pound.
Bacon, 58 to 61 cents per pound.
Butter, 58 to 61 cents per pound.
Eggs, 5 cents each.

By CARL W. ACKERMAN.

Berlin, Oct. 15th.—Berlin faces the need for milk cards. Hotel-keepers are not as much worried by this, however, as by the mysterious 10-pfennig a week rise in food prices. Ten pfennigs is about ten cents. For the past two months food prices have been climbing skyward at the weekly rate.

A few months ago a bread scarcity was what everyone feared. To guard against it bread cards were originated. When it was reported milk was growing scarce, milk cards were suggested immediately. From the fact that whipped cream is forbidden already in Austro-Hungary from the rising price of butter and from milk dealers' unwillingness to increase deliveries, cards seems probable. If milk cards do come, it is said only families with children will be allowed good supplies.

Prices of butter have increased three cents per pound in the past week. Even cooking butter costs 50 to 54 cents.

Considering the scarcity of pork, fat, or lard, which is so abundant in America at 10 to 15 cents, American housekeepers can understand what it means to Berlin housewives to have to pay five times that much for the one article used in preparing nearly every meal.

In both Germany and Austria-Hungary food prices have been increasing rapidly since spring. Germany, however, is still economically better off than her ally.

The people believe that as soon as a way is cut through Serbia, and Bulgaria and Turkey are in direct communication with Berlin, food-stuffs will cost less, for Bulgaria and Turkey both are said to be stocked with foods the Germanic allies need.

SHORTAGE IS ADMITTED.

Sofia, Nov. 2.—German Home Office delegates were here to-day to arrange for the export of Bulgarian grain to Austria-Hungary by way of the new route opened through northeastern Serbia. It was believed all food shortages in the Germanic countries would speedily be relieved thus.

DECLINE OF GERMAN FORCE MATTER OF A MONTH OR SO

In the current issue of "Land and Water," Hilaire Belloc returns to a comprehensive analysis of the enemy's possible effective reserves and how long he can continue to keep his force in the field at its present strength. He arrives at this conclusion:

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WOMEN'S NATIONAL ANTHEM

DEAR EXPRESS.—While in London recently I came in touch with a little incident, which I think will interest you.

I attended, one day, at noon, a recruiting meeting in front of the mansion house. A great crowd of men and women listened to the recruiting sergeants, all of whom had "done their bit" at the front.

A lady, with a magnificent voice, sang patriotic songs, which perhaps were more effective than the speeches of the recruiting sergeants. At the close of the meeting, it was announced that after singing "The King," the lady would sing "The Women's National Anthem." Then in splendid voice she sang:—

"God save our splendid men
Send them safe home again,
God save our men!
Keep them victorious,
Patient and chivalrous,
They are so dear to us,
God save our men."

As she sang, every man, stood, uncovered and with bowed head, and there were not many dry eyes.

I think it would be a good thing if the women of Canada would learn this as "The British Women's National Anthem" for surely it is the prayer of every loyal British woman.

After the meeting I went up to the singer, handed her my card, and asked her for the words she had just sung. When she saw that I was from Montreal, she said "Oh, I sang in Montreal and I will be glad to send the words to Canada."

She wrote them on the back of the blue envelope, which contained my passport.

CURIOS SWISS LAWS.

Some That Look With a Very Penetrating Eye Into the Future.

There are in force in Switzerland certain laws, which, in the hands of the unscrupulous, may work great havoc with personal rights and liberties, an exchange remarks. This is a point concerning which there can be no dispute.

For instance, in most cantons men and women may be punished not only for what they have actually done in the past, but also for what may possibly result in the future from what they have done.

Suppose a man is spending week by week all that he earns. Then the local authorities, acting in conjunction with the local police, may send him to a penal workhouse on the pretext that his conduct is such that he may later become destitute, and therefore a burden on the community.

To be a burden on the community is a crime. The result is a woman who wishes to be rid of her husband for a year or two—or a man of his wife—has only to persuade the local authorities that unless he be forced to change his ways he may perhaps some day become destitute.

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STANDARDIZING CANADIAN EGGS.

From present indications it would appear that one of the most important developments to date in the improvement of the Canadian Egg Trade was the action taken by the Canadian Produce Association last winter in adopting definite standards for Canadian Eggs.

Hitherto each market and in most markets each dealer had a system of grading peculiar to his own trade. This resulted in endless confusion to the consumer and great difficulty was experienced at times on the part of the producer in finding a satisfactory market for his product.

Realizing the importance of having definite standards for all live stock products the Live Stock Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture has endeavored by means of pamphlets, placards, and other means to give the standards for eggs as much publicity as possible. The co-operation of exhibition associations has also been secured, prominent among which has been that of the Canadian National Exhibition Association at whose exhibition in Toronto this year in response to prizes offered, probably the largest collection of eggs ever brought together in one exhibition of the American Continent was displayed. Some 7,000 dozen in all were on exhibition. The prize list for eggs was prepared in accordance with the standards and the judges made their awards according to the accuracy of interpretation, on the part of the exhibitor, of the definitions of the various grades.

At a number of exhibitions where no extensive classes for eggs have been offered, the Live Stock Branch has made a display of eggs graded in accordance with the standards and in each instance has supplemented the display with actual demonstrations, in a candling booth specially designed for the purpose, of the way in which eggs of the various grades appear when candled.

In order that the consumers and producers generally may become more familiar with the various classes and grades the following explanation is given.

Three general classes for eggs are provided under the standards viz:—

"Fresh gathered", "Storage", and "Cracked and Dinties". Four grades are provided in the first class, three in the second, and two in the third. The grades in the "Fresh Gathered" Class are "Specials," "Extras", "No. 1's", and "No. 2's". The grade "Specials" is omitted from the "Storage" class, and both specials and extras from the class for "Cracked and Dinties."

"Specials" according to the standards are eggs of uniform size weighing over 24 ounces to the dozen or over 45 pounds net to the 30 dozen case; absolutely clean, strong and sound in shell; air cell small, not over 3/16 of an inch in depth; white of egg firm and clear and yolk dimly visible; free from blood clots.

"Extras" are eggs of good size, weighing at least 23 ounces to the dozen or 43 pounds net to the 30 dozen case; clean, sound in shell; air cell less than 1/2 inch in depth; white of egg reasonably firm; yolk visible but mobile, not stuck to the shell or seriously out of place.

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Bellac thinks there is no doubt that the Germans hoped for peace before this hour would arrive and recalls the pretty definite statement that the Kaiser himself mentioned October as the date when the war would be over. He continues:

"Meanwhile the enemy is throwing away men more lavishly than ever because his Higher Command has decided that a violent expenditure of energy in this crisis is better policy than husbanding his remaining reserves. In connection with this policy, he has also created a new diversion, largely political, in the Balkans with some 5 per cent. of his forces, and could at the most, were his success complete in that direction, slowly train and still more slowly equip some unknown number—perhaps half a million—of men drawn from the subjects of the Turkish Empire. While this experiment is being made in the south-east of Europe, he is being hammered continuously upon the western line; he is losing great masses of men (for the equivalent of five army corps have gone in the last three weeks, allowing a proportion of 1 in 5 casualties for the dead); he is failing in exceedingly expensive counter-offensive strokes, and on the east he is at last held."

"That is the situation as a whole, and the more steadily we bear it in mind and base our judgment upon it, the better for the nerves of the nation."

The Way of the Cartoonist.
A correspondent notes our inquiry as to why a newspaper artist couldn't make a box without printing "soap" on it. He adds a few inquiries of his own, to wit: "Why can't a cartoonist draw a barber without a comb stuck in his hair?" And "Do all drunks hold themselves up by means of lamp posts?" Also, "Why does a cartoonist always depict himself as wearing a flowing black windsor tie?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Education Handicapped.
"How's your son getting on in college?"

"Not at all well. Every time there are two men on bases and it's his turn to bat they bench him and give a pinch hitter a chance."

Impartial.
Sir—Now that you're starting in business remember that honesty is the best policy. Son—I intend to give both systems a fair tryout.—Chicago News.

Very Refined.
Josh—Is she refined?
Frost—I should say she is! She won't even read coarse print!

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Trigger Fish.

The curiously named "trigger fish" are plentiful in Japanese waters. They are of the balistes genus, and their popular name is derived from the trigger-like peculiarity of the second spine of the dorsal fin. When the fin is erected the first ray, or spine, which is very thick and strong, maintains its elevated position so firmly that it cannot be pressed down by any degree of force, but if the second spine is pressed the first immediately falls down with a spring, like the hammer of a gun lock when the trigger is pulled. These fish are marked in a striking manner, some of them being very richly colored—ashen gray, blue and gold. —London Family Herald.

Burned Out Fuse Plugs.

When a house fuse plug "blows" out and there is no other at hand take a bit of tin foil—the covering from a pack of tobacco or chewing gum will do—and fold it once, making the strip about one-half inch wide; then lay it over the contact points of the plug and screw the plug into the receptacle. This will make a connection and will not produce any more body than if the ordinary fuse wire were used.—Popular Mechanics.

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round again, all kits turned in, etc. I am enclosing notes on two "post mortems," which have been held in the hospital. I wish you could put them away for me.

27th—Well, I got a letter from you at last, dated August 21st. The last

one was dated July 17th. Some must

have gone astray. It seems queer to

think of you having so much rain

there, while we have had none since

coming here and no prospect of any.

I will send home negatives soon.

Have quite a lot. Am getting some

pictures printed from them.

We were inoculated against cholera

to-day. Suppose we will have sore

arms for a while. We get three doses,

so I hear.

The hospitals is nearly full of patients now. I think I did not mention

that Miss Marion Stevens is a nurse here.

My nurse is from Gananoque.

There are several of our unit sick in

the hospital just now with one thing

or another, but I feel fine all the time

and think there is no danger of getting sick if I am careful.

30th—This is my last day on the

ward as I am to start in the operating

room to-morrow. It has been a busy

day on the ward, as beside a lot of

other work, we made out new diet

sheets for every one, as this is the

last of the month. Perhaps you would like to know what the work of a

ward-master is.

I get up at 6.15 and get down to

the ward at 7.45 to see that all is

O.K. with the night man, and learn

how the patients have been getting on

through the night. Then when the

assistants come on at 7 a.m. they

carry up the food for the milk diets,

which is bread, butter, porridge and

milk. While the men are feeding the

patients I get breakfast at 7.15. As

soon as breakfast is over there are

soiled clothes to change, ice chest to

clean, see that the natives clean the

wards well, see that temperatures are

taken and medicines given. Soon the

doctor comes around. I go around

with him and hear what he orders for

each patient. After he goes there is

the diet sheet to make out, with the

order for all the food for the next

day. The groceries to get up for the

day, the lemonade to be carried up.

Then the Col. comes around on in-

spection and I am on hand to hear

what he says (which is always nothing).

At 11.30 the dinner has to be

brought up and the milk diet fed a-

gain, rice, milk, bread and butter. I

then get my dinner after which I fill

out all the treatments for the day on

each care sheet for all the patients

(some job). There are the drugs to

get from the dispensary, any dressings

that need to be done, medicine to

give again, supper to get, custard,

milk, bread, butter, jam. From that

until 7 p.m., when the night man

comes on, there is not much to do, so

I am writing this now at 6.15 p.m.

Of course I do not do much of the

real work, but I am responsible for

it and must see that it is done, which

is rather difficult when you have

assistants who do just what they are

told, then wait for something to hap-

pen.

Just at present a patient in the

ward below has got hold of a violin

and they are singing to "beat four"

There is no one very sick so they are

glad of a little noise.

To-day is the "feast of the Holy

Carpet" in Mohammedan life. They

take the prayer carpet out of some

mosque (I do not know which one)

to some place (I do not know where).

It is supposed to be taken to Mecca,

but of course that cannot be done this

year, so they are putting it in some

other mosque. In about ten days

there will be another great procession,

when the new carpet, which is being

learned English. I do not know what religion they were of originally, I now they are Presbyterians. They say the rich people in Egypt are nearly all Mohammedans, and that real Egyptians, or Copts, are the lower class, and nearly all Protestant.

Most of the Assyrians have left their homes in Turkey and moved to other countries, the better class to Egypt or Greece, but the peasants go to America. These are the peddlars we see in Canada.

They served tea for us, and then came home. They were very good to us, invited us to come again, etc.

3rd—This is Sunday and there is nothing doing in the operating room so far, but we must be here as something may happen any time.

There is service here at 6.45 a.m., but I am always busy as a bee j then and cannot go.

4th—We had a busy day, especially this forenoon, as there were six operations, four under local anaesthesia and two under general. I was allowed to give the generals, and got along very well, with some advice from the doctor. They were first I ever tried.

We received orders this morning to transfer fifty patients to the home. That looks as though we were about to get a lot more in. We hear there is a big move on at the Dardanelles, but we hear very little anyway, and then about a week after it happens.

6th—There have been five operations to-day, one to remove a bullet from the shoulder, another to trephine skull after a wound.

7th—Six operations to-day. I was allowed to give the five general anaesthetics all alone. I felt rather afraid at first, but I must have gotten on well after all for the Col. complimented me on the anaesthesia. Hardly ever opens his mouth, one or the other.

We are getting in a lot more patients to-day, most of them wounded. That means work for this end of the hospital in a few days, in fact he comes the ambulance now with stretcher patients. It is interesting, I rather gruesome to see them unloving men minus arms or legs, or bandaged up one place or another.

8th—There was a big mail in to-day and I got no less than nine letters from you. Some of the fellas got as many as twenty-eight. They had wandered around England, been sent to No. 4 hospital, etc.

You ask if our hospital had a choice of coming down here. My mother, they don't do things like that in the army. As far as I can make out we just got orders to beat it. Of course if the O.C. is an influential man, and known by the D.M. (Director Medical Service) he may where he likes, if things can be arranged, but No. 5 Stationery Hospital, Queen's, does not cut any ice in imperial circles, and so we go where we are chalked down for.

We were mighty lucky we were sent to Lemnos where Nos. 1 and 2 went, that is an awful place.

As you say, people living in Canada do not know what war is at all. They are just as peaceful here in Cairo as you are, but everything we see practically has connection with the war.

Motor lorries, loaded camels, thousands of mules and horses, moving troops, wounded all over the city, our hospital staff running full blast. I do not think any but the lie hospitals are in any danger, in fact there are no hospitals on the mainland but the field ones.

The Turks, so far, have respected the Red Cross.

I have given all the anaesthetics for two days, and got along all right. Looks as though they were going to let me give them all the time.

Robert Light

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made is taken to the mosque out of which the old one was taken.

Oct. 1st—I am writing this in the office of the operating room. I just got your letter of Sept. 4th, saying you had my cable. I am glad it went through all right. I wish I could taste some of your apple or pumpkin pie, or in fact any kind of pie. We get only stewed fruit, custards, or fresh dates or figs. They are not much good. We never see common spuds, just sweet potatoes.

I would like to read those letters by Chaplain Watkins, in the "Guardian," on the battles of Ypres and Hill 60. While we were in England I saw lots who went through it, but their accounts were not very clear. They did not want to talk about it at all.

We hear, from fellows who have been both in France and down here, that France is a picnic compared to the peninsula. Not an inch of ground which is free from fire. Some are back in our hospital now who left just a little while ago. And the flies there are indescribable, they get right into the wounds, they say, and of course infect them. Most wounds are in a bad shape when they reach the hospital. Also the dysentery is common poor hygiene conditions.

We are having very good news just now, so perhaps they will not need very many more men.

There is nothing on in the operating room to-day, so I am just looking around to see what is here.

Later 8 p.m.—Well, we had an operation after all, appendicitis, and a very bad case, too, had an abscess at the appendix head, burst, would not be sewed up as it had to be drained. I had the honor of assisting, in other words, handling the sponges, forceps, etc.

Oct. 2nd—I was off duty after 3.00 p.m., so three of us went to Heliopolis

But I must begin at the other end of the story. One of our Sgts. is a Roman Catholic. It is permissible now in war time for R.C.'s to worship in the Greek Catholic church, so he has gone to Heliopolis to church. He became acquainted with the priest who introduced him to his two sisters and mother so to-day he took Stephenson and me out to call upon them.

I did not look forward to a very good time, but I did have a dandy afternoon. The priest speaks seven different languages, but English is not one of them. He has been as a church delegate to Montreal, Quebec, New York, and all over South America.

His sisters are married, and there are six children, but I could not make out which belonged to which. They were very friendly, but spoke only Arabic and French. There were two neighbor girls there who are Assyrians; they spoke good English, and told us a whole lot about the positions of the different peoples in this country. They were born in Beirut, in Asia Minor, came to Cairo eight years ago because of the oppressive rule of Turkey, and are now waiting the time when they can go back home.

They went to school at the American Mission in Cairo where they learned English. I do not know what religion they were originally, but now they are Presbyterians. They say the rich people in Egypt are nearly all Mohammedans, and that the real Egyptians, or Copts, are the lower class, and nearly all Protestants.

Most of the Assyrians have left their homes in Turkey and moved to other countries, the better class to Egypt or Greece, but the peasants go to America. These are the pedlars that we see in Canada.

They served tea for us, and then we came home. They were very good to us, invited us to come again, etc.

The nurses are always called "sisters" hardly mentioned as nurses at all. They wear an all blue uniform with a large white apron, and a big white head-dress.

Oct. 11th—I have had a most interesting time the last day and a half, and I wish you could have been with me.

The day before yesterday was my afternoon off, so three of us took a walk through the bazaars of Cairo. It is certainly some sight, the streets are only six or seven feet wide, on each side are stores, each about five or six feet square, with a little counter and show case in front. Each little store sells a different line of goods and each little street or section is all one kind of store.

There are dry goods stores, selling all kinds of silk scarfs, shawls, handkerchiefs, and etc. Jewellery stores, fruit stores, brass work stores. There is some fine pounded brass. I think I must send you some; carpet and rug stores, china stores, antique stores, and every other kind you can think of. One could spend days wondering around looking at things. One never thinks of paying the price they ask, but haggle away and gradually beat them down to about half. I bought a brass work cup and saucer and a brass obelisk—will send them home soon,

While I was away they had four operations, two of them accidents. One fellow got kicked in the face over at the remount station, knocked all his teeth out and battered him up pretty well, another got cut in the head with a knife.

Yesterday, five of us applied for a pass to go to Memphis, the ancient capital of Egypt, away back in the time of the Israelites, and which is about twenty miles south of Cairo. We left Cairo by train at 9.30 a.m., and reached Badresbin, (the station near which the city is) at 10.30. We bargained with a guide and started out on donkeys.

Just outside the village are two statues of Ramesis II, (Pharaoh of the oppression), they are huge affairs and show the most perfect carving, near them is a sphinx, a small one, about 90 tones in weight, all one piece. The face is marvelous, when you consider the ages ago it was done.

Passing on through the groves of the date palms, loaded with fruit, we came to the Nile, along which we travelled about a mile, and then crossed it on a causeway or raised road a mile long. This is the time of year the Nile is in flood and it has spread out over the banks for half a mile or more.

Just here, I might mention that all along the railroad, were the most luxuriant crops you can imagine ever, sugar-cane and cotton principally. I saw more corn than I ever saw before in my life just in that two miles!

As soon as we had crossed the causeway, we were in the desert, just a little ways from Sabbara, the ancient cemetery of Memphis. It is just sand now, but out of any little mound one can dig bones of people. Most of the ground was excavated by Mariette a Frenchman, away back in 1800. There are several small pyramids along the plateau, the oldest is the step pyramid built, so it seems of mud brick and said to be the oldest building of any kind in existence. There are no tombs in it.

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feet, there are three rooms at the bottom, one of them contains the Queen's tomb, the cover of the tomb is immense, about 12x6x4 feet all in one piece of granite.

From this Pyramid we went to visit the tombs of Tha and Ptah and Hetah and Mena, I do not remember each separately, but they are all covered inside with wonderful carving on the walls, mostly colored with red and blue paint.

Lastly we visited the tomb of the Sacred Bull, it is a high affair, there are twenty-four great chambers and each contains a tomb with a cover on it, all of polished granite, in each tomb was placed one of the Sacred Bulls when he died.

From these we got on our donkeys and came back to Badresbin, passing on the way the ruins of Memphis, there is not much to see, it looks to have been built of mud brick, but all one can see is outline of buildings with partly tumbled down walls.

I suppose there is no doubt—but that this is the place where the Israelites held out and had to make brick.

There are thousands of tombs in the hills around this country, it would be very interesting to just meander about on a donkey and explore the hills but we have no time for that.

Yours as ever,
KENNETH M. SHOREY.

Consolation.

Hub—If business doesn't improve I shall go crazy. I am up to my ears in debt. Wife—Cheer up, dear. Just think how much worse it would be if you were a tall man!

The Real Test.

He—Is it impossible for a woman to understand the intricate, real problems of life?

She—Did you ever read the description of a dress pattern?

The Likeness.

"Fatty Mack eats like a bird."
"Like a bird? Why, he shovels in his food like an elephant."

"Just what I said—takes a peck at every mouthful." — Baltimore American.

His Way.

"How did you become so rich? Have you always earned more than you spend?"

"Not a bit of it, young man. But I've always managed to spend less than I earned."

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3rd—This is Sunday and there is nothing doing in the operating room so far, but we must be here as something may happen any time.

There is service here at 6.45 a. m. but I am always busy as a bee just then and cannot go.

4th—We had a busy day, especially this forenoon, as there were six operations, four under local anaesthetics, and two under general. I was allowed to give the generals, and got along very well, with some advice at times from the doctor. They were the first I ever tried.

We received orders this morning to transfer fifty patients to the rest home. That looks as though we were about to get a lot more in. We hear there is a big move on at the Dardanelles, but we hear very little anyway, and then about a week after it happens.

5th—There have been five operations to-day, one to remove a bullet from the shoulder, another to trephine the skull after a wound.

7th—Six operations to-day. I was allowed to give the five general anaesthetics all alone. I felt rather afraid at first, but I must have gotten on well after all for the Col. complimented me on the anaesthetics. He hardly ever opens his mouth, one way or the other.

We are getting in a lot more patients to-day, most of them wounded. That means work for this end of the hospital in a few days, in fact here comes the ambulance now with stretcher patients. It is interesting, but rather gruesome to see them unloading men minus arms or legs, or all bandaged up in one place or another.

8th—There was a big mail in to-day and I got no less than nine letters, five from you. Some of the fellows got as many as twenty eight. They had wandered around England, been sent to No. 4 hospital, etc.

You ask if our hospital had the choice of coming down here. No, mother, they don't do things like that in the army. As far as I can make out we just got orders to beat it. Of course if the O. C. is an influential man, and known by the D. M. S. (Director Medical Service) he may go where he likes, if things can be arranged, but No. 5 Stationery Hospital, Queen's, does not cut any ice in imperial circles, and so we go where we are chalked down for.

We were mighty lucky we were not sent to Lemnos where Nos. 1 and 3 went, that is an awful place.

As you say, people living in Canada do not know what war is at all. We are just as peaceful here in Cairo as you are, but everything we see practically has connection with the war. Motor lorries, loaded camels, thousands of mules and horses, moving troops, wounded all over the city, and our hospital staff running full blast. I do not think any but the field hospitals are in any danger, in fact there are no hospitals on the main land but the field ones.

The Turks, so far, have respected the Red Cross.

I have given all the anaesthetics for two days, and got along all right. It looks as though they were going to let me give them all the time.

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Beautiful Defendant.

"I want you to make the outfit for my trial."

"Let me see," mused the experienced modiste. "You'll want a direct testimony suit, a cross examination gown and something dainty and clinging to faint in."

Oratory.

Oratory is the longest distance between two platitudes. Its success depends upon how much it impresses you when it is being delivered and how little it impresses you afterward.—Life.

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"Didn't you say your dog's bark is worse than his bite?"

"Yes."

"Then, for goodness' sake, don't let him bark! He's just bitten me."—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

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Spiritual Branches in Church to Undergo Pruning Process.

Much Worldliness Amongst Professed Christians To-day—Falling Away From Early Faith—God's Special Providences Over His Faithful People—How Branches in the Heavenly Vine Are Pruned.



PASTOR RUSSELL

Ia., Oct. 24.—Pastor Russell delivered a highly instructive discourse here to-day on Malachi 3: 14, 15. The Prophet's words, he declared, describe a condition which prevails to a considerable degree in our day. A few generations ago Christian people were very earnest, very devoted to the Lord, so far as we can judge from their words. God's name was taken very reverently; songs of praise were often sung; much was done in the way of Bible study. Then came a time of increased prosperity amongst the worldly. Those who did not reverence God got along better than did the more reverent. Then many began to say, "What profit is it that we serve God?"

As a consequence, as with the Jews in Malachi's day, there is now a great tendency to worldliness, and little attention is paid to religion, which is only of a formal kind. "Attend more to business, to the lodges or to society," people say; "and you will get along much better." This condition is general; and so, except amongst a certain class, there is less piety to-day.

Those who serve God are being separated from all denominations. He has some encouragement for such, giving them to see heights, depths, lengths, and breadths of His love never before seen. These are not being blessed necessarily in outward things. Perhaps as a whole they have less than have the average persons of the world. It would not be well for them to have too many of the good things of this present life. Indeed, God has greatly favored some of them by removing their earthly prosperity and thus giving them a greater knowledge of His Word.

The True Vine and Its Pruning.

The Pastor then discussed God's peculiar dealings with the Church of Christ. Comparing Himself to a vine and His followers to the branches, our Lord declared, "Every branch in Me that beareth fruit, the Father pruneth it, that it may bring forth more fruit." (John 15:1-6.) It is the tendency of a grape vine to spread in all directions and to spend its strength in producing branches rather than grapes. Therefore whenever the vine dresser wishes to produce better and more abundant fruit, he cuts off much of the branch and thus forces the sap into the grapes.

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THE MARKETS

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Active demand from exporters at Winnipeg and Duluth gave the wheat market here a decided upward swing today after an early decline. Prices closed firm, $\frac{1}{4}$ c to 1c net higher, with December at \$1.02 $\frac{1}{2}$ and May at \$1.04 $\frac{1}{4}$. Corn gained $\frac{1}{4}$ c to 1c, and oats $\frac{1}{4}$ c to $\frac{1}{2}$ c. Provisions finished firm, varying from 10c off to a rise of 22 $\frac{1}{2}$.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Flax, wheat, bush....	\$0.85 to \$0.95
Fall wheat, smutty....	0 70 0 82
Coco wheat, bush....	0 80
Barley, feed....	0 45 0 50
Barley, malting, bush....	0 55 0 57
Oats, old, bush....	0 50
Oats, new, bush....	0 41 0 44
Buckwheat, bush....	0 76
Rye, bushel....	0 70 0 80

TORONTO DAIRY MARKET.

Butter, creamery, lb. sq....	0 32 0 33
Futter, separator, dairy....	0 29 0 30
Butter, creamery, solids....	0 31
Eggs, new-laid, per doz....	0 40 0 45
Eggs, cold storage, per doz....	0 30 0 33
Cheese, new, lb....	0 16 0 18 $\frac{1}{2}$
Honey, "b....	0 10 0 11
Honey, comb, dozen....	2 40 3 00

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

TORONTO, Nov. 1.—The Board of Trade official market quotations:

Manitoba Wheat (New Crop.)
No. 1 northern, \$1.11, track, lake ports, immediate shipment.

No. 2 northern, \$1.08, track, lake ports, immediate shipment.

Manitoba Oats.

No. 2 C.W. tough, 44c, track, lake ports.

No. 3 C.W. tough, 42c, track, lake ports.

American Corn.

No. 2 yellow, 72c, track, Toronto.

Canadian Corn.

No. 2 yellow, 70c, track, Toronto.

Ontario Oats (New Crop.)

No. 3 white, 38c to 39c, according to freight outside.

Commercial oats, 37c to 38c.

Ontario Wheat.

No. 2, winter, per car lot, 94c to 96c, according to freight outside.

Wheat, slightly sprouted, 85c to 92c, according to sample.

Wheat, sprouted, smutty and tough, 75c to 85c, according to sample.

Peas.

No. 2 nominal, per car lot, \$1.90, according to sample.

Sample peas, \$1.25 to \$1.75, according to sample.

Good malting barley, 54c to 58c, according to sample.

Feed barley, 45c to 52c, according to sample.

Buckwheat.

Nominal, car lots, 75c to 76c, according to sample.

Rye.

No. 1 commercial, 83c to 8c; tough, 70c to 75c, according to sample.

Manitoba Flour.

First patents, in jute bags, \$5.75, Toronto.

Second patents, in jute bags, \$5.25, Toronto.

Strong bakers', in jute bags, \$5.05, Toronto.

Ontario Flour (New.)

Winter, \$4 to \$4.20, according to sample, seaboard, or Toronto freights, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car Lots Delivered.

Bran, per ton, \$21, Montreal freights;

shorts, per ton, \$23, Montreal freights;

irridlings, per ton, \$25; good feed flour,

per bag, \$1.40.

Hay.

No. 1, per ton, \$16 to \$17.50, track, Toronto.

No. 2, per ton, \$13 to \$14, track, Toronto.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 1.—Wheat closed $\frac{1}{4}$ c to 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ c up; oats closed $\frac{1}{2}$ c to 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ c up, and flax closed 1c to 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ c advance.

Wheat values at the opening were $\frac{1}{4}$ c to $\frac{1}{2}$ c lower, the market starting out with some selling pressure, but prices moved steadily upward. The high points touched for December were 95 $\frac{1}{2}$ c, but the greater part of the business was around 95c. November and May high points were on a par, \$1.00 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Inspections Saturday and Sunday were 4935. In sight today, 2200 cars.

MONTRÉAL GRAIN MARKET.

MONTRÉAL, Nov. 1.—Demand for all lines of grain from over the cable was good today, but exporters were not disposed to accept orders, and business on the whole was quiet. Locally the market was unchanged for coarse grains. Flour is firm under a good demand. Millfeed was fairly active.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 1.—Wheat, spot, quiet; No. 2 Manitoba, 11s 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ d; No. 3 Manitoba, 11s 2d; No. 2 Chicago, new, 11s 2d; No. 2 hard, old, 12s 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. Corn, spot, quiet; La Plata, 7s 7d. Flour, winter patents, 41s. Hops in London (Pacific Coast), £3 10s to £5. Hams, short

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DRAKE AS A KING

Sir Francis Thought He Was the Monarch of California.

CROWNED BY THE INDIAN

The Redskins Had Decorated Him With a War Bonnet of Feathers, He Took It For the Real Thing Crowns and Accepted the Title.

Hidden in the diary of Francis Fletcher, a sailor parson who acted chaplain for the freebooters of Sir Francis Drake, is the story of the Indian he ever engineered by Californians.

The joke was on Sir Francis. Until his last day he believed the Indians of California had crowned him the king—king of California. As a matter of fact, all they did was to give him a feather war bonnet and perform some native rites before him, hoping thereby to get their hands in his girdle again.

It happened in June, 1589. Drake was looking for the mythical northwest passage after a successful ye looting and plundering in the Spanish colonies. His ship, the Golden Hind sprang a leak, and Drake put into a little bay, just north of the present San Francisco, for repairs.

An Indian paddled out to the ship a canoe. He scattered feathers on the water and went through a lot of pantomime. Drake feared to land until I found out the intent of the native. The one Indian went back to shore Then, to quote from Captain Fletcher

"He shortly came again the second time in like manner and so the third time, when he brought with him, as present from the rest, a bunch of feathers, much like the feathers of a black crow, very neatly and artificially gathered upon a string and drawn together in a round bundle, being very clean and finely cut. With this also he brought a little basket made of rushes and filled with an herbe which they called tobah, both being tyde to short rodde he caste into our boate."

Drake tried to give presents in return, but the Indian paddled away quickly. He took only an old cockle hat which some sailor had thrown overboard. The hat made quite an impression on the tribe apparently, for they all gathered around the possessor on the beach.

In three days' time Drake concluded the Indians were friendly, so landed his men and began to unload the ship. A fort was constructed as a matter of precaution.

While the crew prepared the Golden Hind for sea Drake visited with the Indians. A tale, apocryphal perhaps, says he took an Indian chieftain's daughter to wife. At any rate, he got on famously with the savages, aided no doubt, by generous gifts.

As the time neared for his departure and gifts grew fewer, the Indians announced that they intended to give a festival for Drake and his party. Drake came in full armor, and the Indians danced and played games for his benefit.

At the close of the ceremonies the Indians signaled that Drake was to be honored in some way. First an Indian approached bearing what Fletcher calls "a scepter." Drake accepted the kindly accouterment. Then a chisel

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A sharp distinction should be made between the Church and the world. God is not the Father of unrepentant sinners. Having discarded Adam and his posterity during the reign of sin, He has adopted a new family, which began with our Lord Jesus, when He was in the flesh, and which includes all the members of the New Creation. Beyond a general supervision the Lord is not dealing with the world now, but will do so during the Millennial Age. Now He deals especially with the Elect, the sons of God.—1 John 3:2; John 1:12.

These sons of God have received His Spirit, the Spirit of Christ. (Romans 8:9.) All who have been begotten of the Holy Spirit should bear the fruits thereof—meekness, gentleness, patience, brotherly kindness, love. (Galatians 5:22,23; 2 Peter 1:5-11.) Throughout the Gospel Age this class have borne fruit.

Character More Important Than Works.

These fruits of the Spirit are more than outward activities in the Lord's vineyard. God is more desirous to see how meek and loving His children are than to note even great deeds of service. Acceptable service for Him depends very much upon our development of His Holy Spirit. It is not so much the work as the humility and the loving zeal that counts. One might be sick and unable to engage in active service; but if he has the spirit of meekness and the proper desire to serve the Lord, the Father looks at that spirit or intention. The fruits of the Spirit manifest themselves in daily endeavor to do God's will in all things.

At first one might have the activity without the proper spirit. We must cultivate the Lord's way and spirit, which is Love. When the heart becomes imbued with love, the spirit of the Truth, one forgets self and wishes only to honor the Lord.

Unselfishness.

Even in ordinary life the unselfish people are the happiest—those who work to make others happy and who forget themselves. The dissatisfied people are those who are seeking happiness for themselves.—Besant.

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CATTLE MARKETS

UNION STOCK YARDS.

TORONTO, Nov. 1.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Yards were 3,437 cattle, 1,713 hogs, 4,373 sheep and lambs, and 225 calves.

Dutchmen's Cattle.

Choice heavy steers at \$7.75 to \$8; choice butchers' cattle at \$7.25 to \$7.60; good at \$6.75 to \$7.50; medium at \$6 to \$6.60; common at \$5.50 to \$6. Light steers and heifers at \$4.50 to \$5.50; choice cows at \$6 to \$6.40; good cows at \$5.60 to \$6.50; medium cows at \$5 to \$5.50; common cows at \$4 to \$4.75; calvers and cutters at \$3.25 to \$4.50; light bulls at \$4.10 to \$4.60; heavy bulls at \$5 to \$6.50.

Stockers and Feeders.

Choice feeders, 900 to 1000 lbs., at \$6.75 to \$7; good feeders, 800 to 900 lbs., \$6 to \$6.50; good stockers, 700 to 800 lbs., \$5.50 to \$5.75; stockers, 600 to 700 lbs., at \$5 to \$5.50; common stocker steers and heifers at \$4 to \$5; yearlings, 600 to 650 lbs., at \$5.90 to \$6.50.

Milkers and Springers.

Choice milkers and springers at \$9 to \$10; good cows at \$7 to \$8.50; common cows at \$4.50 to \$6.

Veal Calves.

Choice veal calves at \$9.50 to \$10.50; good at \$7.75 to \$8.75; medium at \$6.25 to \$7.25; common at \$5 to \$5.75; grass at \$4 to \$4.60.

Sheep and Lambs.

Light sheep at \$5.50 to \$6.50; heavy sheep at \$4.25 to \$5; lambs at \$8.50 to \$8.75; cull lambs at \$7 to \$7.75.

Hogs.

Selects, fed and watered, \$8.85; 50c is being deducted for heavy, fat hogs and thin, light hogs; \$2.50 off for sows and \$4 off for stags from prices paid for selects.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFFALO, Nov. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 6300 head; steady and slow; prime steers, \$8.50 to \$9.50; shipping, \$8.25 to \$8.75; butchers, \$6.75 to \$8.50; heifers, \$5.50 to \$7.50; cows, \$6 to \$6.75; bulls, \$4.50 to \$7.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.75 to \$7.25; stock heifers, \$4.75 to \$5.25; fresh cows and springers, \$5 to \$9.

Veal—Receipts, 1300 head; active; \$4 to \$11.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 23,000 head; active and strong; heavy, \$8 to \$10; mixed, \$7.85 to \$8; workers, \$7.75 to \$7.85; pigs, \$7.75; roughs, \$6.75 to \$7; stags, \$5 to \$6.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 15,000 head; active; lambs, \$6 to \$8.90; yearlings, \$5 to \$7.50; wethers, \$6.25 to \$6.50; ewes, \$3 to \$5.75; sheep, mixed, \$5.75 to \$6.

BRITISH FINANCIER DEAD.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—Baron Welby (Reginald Earle Welby), who was long prominent in financial circles, died Friday at Malwood.

Quite Necessary.

Victim—Ptomaine poisoning, eh? Well, I surely was blame fool to eat the stuff. Doctor—But, my dear sir, you can't establish yourself as a recognized epicure without a touch of ptomaine now and then.

Where the Day Went.

"Where can the day have gone?" exclaimed mamma, as she lighted the evening lamp. "I think it's gone to heaven, mamma," answered wee Beth sweetly.—Exchange.

There are more than 30,000 square miles covered by a depth of three miles of sea, but even at this great depth where the pressure of the water above would instantly crush a man's body to pulp—there is a great world of life.

Many of the fish and other creatures of the deep are blind.

They are, however, able to see by means of the lights which they carry themselves.

The "lamps" are little organs dotted over the body, and with the light from them, which is made in much the same marvelous way as the glow worm's, they can use their bulging eyes to see what is going on about them.

But even with the ready made lighting apparatus and telescope eyes it is a difficult business finding a dinner, so the fish have jaws with an enormous gape and a stomach so elastic that they can accommodate a larger fish than these voracious eaters themselves.

When they have made such a capture they retire for something like a year's meditation to digest the meal, two or three of which are sufficient to last an average lifetime.—London Answer.

First Straw Hats.

The first hat of straw to be worn in the United States appeared in 1800. Straw had been used before to thatch houses, but not the heads of civilized citizens. It made comfortable bedding for cattle and was stuffed in sacks to increase the softness of the pine boards used by men and women to sleep on. But straw for the head? Never! It might do for the tropical savages, but not for the inhabitants of the great zone in which the progressive nations lived.

Previous to 1800 men had worn felt and cloth hats. And it was not till the time of Elizabeth that men began to wear hats at all, in distinction from caps and bonnets. The blossoming of literature in the Elizabethan period was contemporary with the building of brims on head coverings and their transmogrification into hats.

A Prize Baby.

Little Minnie was having a birthday party, and some of the little guests were discussing the merits of the babies in their homes.

"My little sister is only five months old," remarked Annie, "and she has two teeth."

"My little sister," said Nellie, "is only six months old and she has three."

Minnie was silent for a moment, then she burst forth:

"My little sister hasn't got any teeth yet, but when she does have some they're going to be gold ones!"

His Mother's Son.

At the annual prize day of a certain school the head boy rose to give his recitation.

"Friends, Romans, countrymen," he vociferated, "lend me your ears!"

"There," commented the mother of a defeated pupil sneeringly, "that's Mrs. Jones' boy! He wouldn't be his mother's son if he didn't want to borrow something."

Brooklyn Navy Yard.

The Brooklyn navy yard was established Feb. 23, 1801, when the first land, twenty-three acres, was bought from one John Jackson for \$40,000. The yard now comprises 144 acres and has a waterfront of nearly three miles protected by a sea wall of granite.

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Drake saw no other meaning of the ceremony than that he had been chosen king. What they really did was give him a pipe, a belt of wampum and a war bonnet. Drake drew his men in line and, with a great flourish of trumpets and drums, accepted the kingship of California. As a postscript he added that he made no claims to being an independent monarch. He was still a vassal of Queen Elizabeth. He set up a monument to that effect:

"Our general caused to be set up a monument of our being there, as also of her majesties and successors right and title to that kingdom—namely, a plate of brasse, fast nailed to a great and firme poste; whereon is engraven her grace's name, the day and year of our arrival there, and of the free giving up of the province and kingdom both by the king and people, unto her majesties' hands; together with the highness picture and arms, in a piece of sixpence current English monie shewing itself by a hole made of purpose through the plate; underneath was likewise engraven the name of our general."

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Answering the Full Description.

"Why do you consider this necktie my wife bought me a joke? It doesn't make me laugh."

"That fact makes it all the more joke. Whether or not you laugh depends entirely on who it's on."—Washington Star.

Power is a fretful thing and hat's wings always spread for flight.—Wallace.

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"Mrs. Gaddy is a very authoritative person in her gossip."

"Yes, and what she says goes."—Baltimore American.

The miser is as much in want of the which he has as of that which he has not.—Syrus.

DRAKE AS A KING

Sir Francis Thought He Was the Monarch of California.

CROWNED BY THE INDIANS.

The Redskins Had Decorated Him With a War Bonnet of Feathers, but He Took It For the Real Thing In Crowns and Accepted the Title.

Hidden in the diary of Francis Fletcher, a sailor parson who acted as chaplain for the freebooters of Sir Francis Drake, is the story of the first hoax ever engineered by Californians.

The joke was on Sir Francis. Until his last day he believed the Indians of California had crowned him their king—king of California. As a matter of fact, all they did was to give him a feather war bonnet and perform some native rites before him, hoping thereby to get their hands in his gift box again.

It happened in June, 1559. Drake was looking for the mythical northwest passage after a successful year looting and plundering in the Spanish colonies. His ship, the Golden Hind, sprang a leak, and Drake put into a little bay, just north of the present San Francisco, for repairs.

An Indian paddled out to the ship in a canoe. He scattered feathers on the water and went through a lot of pantomime. Drake feared to land until he found out the intent of the natives. The one Indian went back to shore. Then, to quote from Chaplain Fletcher: "He shortly came againe the second time in like manner and so the third time, when he brought with him, as a present from the rest, a bunch of feathers much like the feathers of a blacke crowe, very neatly and artificially gathered upon a string and drawn together in a round bundle, being verie neane and finely cut. With this also he brought a little basket made of rushes and filled with an herbe which he called tobah, both being tyde to a short rodde he caste into our boate."

Drake tried to give presents in return, but the Indian paddled away quickly. He took only an old cocked hat which some sailor had thrown overboard. The hat made quite an impression on the tribe apparently, for they all gathered around the possessor on the beach.

In three days' time Drake concluded the Indians were friendly, so landed his men and began to unload the ship. A fort was constructed as a matter of precaution.

While the crew prepared the Golden Hind for sea Drake visited with the Indians. A tale, apocryphal perhaps, says he took an Indian chieftain's daughter to wife. At any rate, he got in famously with the savages, aided, no doubt, by generous gifts.

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GASES AND SOLIDS.

The Attraction Between Them and How It May Be Illustrated.

It is an interesting fact that gases will cling to the surface of solids to a wonderful extent. If a piece of iron is placed in a bucket of water and the water heated, bubbles will be seen coming from the iron. They are merely parts of the air film on the iron expanded by heat till the water buoyancy becomes great enough to detach them from the surface.

On account of this peculiar attraction of all solids for all gases, any scientific or other instrument devised to work in a vacuum must first be thoroughly heated before it is ready for use.

If a solid has an extraordinary power of absorbing or occluding gases, the fact is utilized for other purposes. Charcoal will absorb gas, and it is consequently used to take gas out of vessels and as a sanitary agent. In fact, charcoal is medicinal in some respects, being prescribed for patients troubled with gas on the stomach. After the charcoal is swallowed it absorbs the gas in the stomach and the unpleasant distension is gone.

If one cares to try a little experiment let him fill the mouth full of tobacco smoke and blow it gently and slantingly downward on the surface of a smooth table. The smoke will be seen to remain on the surface for three or four minutes, or even longer, although smoke, as is well known, tends to rise on account of being warmer than the air; also in spite of the fact that the process of diffusion is tending to make it mix with the air. If the experiment is tried at night under a red light and on a smooth mahogany table, the scenic effects produced by the convolutions of smoke are positively uncanny.

RELICS OF A LOST RACE.

Articles That Were Used by the Arawak Indians of Jamaica.

When in 1494, on his second voyage, Columbus discovered the island of Jamaica, it was populated by the Arawak Indians, who, although at first hostile to him, became friendly on his giving them clothing and other articles before unknown to them.

When later the Spaniards settled the island they forced the Indians not only to do agricultural work in their own island, but to labor in the gold mines of Haiti. So hard were the Spanish taskmasters that by 1558 the whole Arawak nation was exterminated.

During recent years G. C. Longley of Pelham Manor has been seeking to recover all possible traces of the lost race. To that end he spent much time on the island in exploring the old kitchen middens or refuse heaps of the Arawaks, in which he has found, besides shells and pottery and fish, turtle and cony bones, many celts or rude chisels, grinding stones, stone pendants and axes—1,500 objects in all.

The whole collection he has given to the American Museum of Natural History in New York city.

The most interesting objects are the cylindrical stone pendants, which were fashioned with sand and stone by endless rubbing. Pendants of exactly the same sort are worn today as insignia of office by chiefs or head men of tribes in northern South America.—Youth's Companion.

Sucking Fish.



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PETROGRAD IS A WONDER.

A City Built by Russia In Defiance of the Laws of Nature.

It is an amazing monument to the despotism of the czars that Petrograd has flourished, as it was built, in defiance of the laws of trade and of nature herself. As a port it is immeasurably inferior to Riga, which has a much longer open season, for Petrograd is ice-bound from early November to the end of April. As a building site it has been repeatedly and disastrously flooded by the Neva. The highest elevation within the bounds of the city is less than fifteen feet above sea level, and the cellars have to be bailed out nearly every spring when the ice melts and the wind blows.

And the rigorous climate constantly gnaws at walls and columns until the city has been twice and thrice rebuilt by the czars. Many of the most imposing structures are held together only by means of iron clamps, and the huge boulder on which Peter rides his bronze horse is ever crumbling away. The stones of the streets are continually sinking below the level, and the great Cathedral of St. Isaac never ceases to settle on a foundation in which nearly \$1,000,000 was sunk. No less than six tiers of piles were driven for the beautiful column of Alexander I., yet that eighty foot monolith, the tallest and largest in Europe, has to

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A Tin Can Throw and the Shortest Two Bagger on Record.

Freak plays make baseball humorous if not interesting. Some of these plays are said to be the result of quick thinking, but as a matter of fact most of them are simply luck, says Arthur Macdonald in the Physical Education Review. Curious things happen. A ball fell into a tin can, and, it being impossible to get it out in time, can and all were thrown to the baseman.

Another ball hit the end of a nail driven through the opposite side of a fence and could not be got down until all the runners scored.

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means of this it attaches itself to any
fish it chooses—a shark or whale, for
instance, or turtles and even ships—and so it is carried about without any
trouble. When once attached they
stick like glue, and they are occasionally
used for purposes of fishing. A
line is fixed to the fish's tail, which is
then set free. As soon as it discovers
a fish or a turtle it takes a firm hold.
In the simplest form of fishing the line
is dragged in and the sucking fish
hauled up, together with its captive.
In the case of a turtle the fisherman
dives after the line and so secures the
victim.

The Only Time.

Fred—There are times when I care
nothing for riches—when I would not
so much as put forth a hand to receive
millions.

Kittie—Indeed! That must be when
you are tired of the world and its strug-
gles and vanities—when your soul
yearns for higher and nobler things.
Is it not?

"N-no; you are wrong."
"Then when is it?"
"When I'm sleeping."—Exchange.

Ambition Realized.

She would a driver be.
She tried to drive a man—bluff!
She tried to drive a horse—ditch!
She tried to drive an auto—smash!
But when she tried to drive a bar-
gain success roosted on her banner.—
Indianapolis Star.

He Knew.

Teacher—Now, Harold, can you tell
me what letter this is? Small Harold
—No, ma'am. Teacher—You can't?
Why, you certainly know what comes
after T, don't you? Small Harold—
Yes, ma'am; sister's beau.

Anticipated Him.

Census Man—How old are you, madam?
Lady—Twenty-five. Census Man
(gallantly)—You could easily say you
were five years younger than you are.
Lady—Oh, I've done that already!—
Boston Transcript.

A tyrant never tastes true friendship
or perfect liberty.

The Real Toil.

"I used to practice five hours a day
on the piano," said the musician.

"You are through with that drudg-
ery now."

"Drudgery? Those were times of
restful leisure. Now I have to work
fourteen hours a day giving lessons."
—Washington Star.

All Foolish.

"Did you ever write a foolish love
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"I never wrote any love letters."
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tion, and within ten years its death
rate actually exceeded its birth rate.—
Argonaut.

SUBMERGING A SUBMARINE.

It Takes Five Minutes For the Best of
Them to Get Under.

Submarines are not easy to handle
and it takes considerable skill and
daring to navigate them successfully.
Many people have the idea that as soon
as a submarine sees an enemy, the
officer in command gives a sharp order,
and almost before it has left his lips
the submarine is diving beneath the
waves.

As a matter of fact the very latest
submarines take a clear five minutes
before they can become submerged.
Many of the older submarines took ten
minutes to a quarter of an hour to sink.

The reason that a submarine cannot
sink quickly, like a fish, is because the
water which must be let into her tanks
to make her heavy enough to sink,
must be let in comparatively slowly.
If it were let in with a rush the
chances are the vessel would not go
down on an even keel, but would heel
over and be in great danger of dis-
aster. If water, too, were let in too
quickly there is a danger of letting in
too much and in that case the sub-
marine would sink like a stone to the
bottom of the sea.

The depth at which a submarine
travels under the sea is regulated by
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way of the shortstop and walked
about sixty feet in to move it out of
the way, when he heard the crack of
the bat and saw a hot ball coming
straight at him.

He could do nothing but try to catch
it and did, to his surprise. But he was
given credit by the crowd for being a
great student of batters.

THE VOICE AND THE STAGE.

Being a Good Elocutionist Does Not
Make a Good Actor.

Of all the things to eschew, elocution
schools stand first. Actors should
know nothing of the rules of elocution
as taught in any school of which I have
ever heard. I can always tell at the
first glance whether an actor is a stu-
dent of elocution. No good elocutionist
was ever a good actor. That is, no good
reciter—and elocution schools produce
only reciters—is ever a good actor.

Reciting and acting are two entirely
different arts. The reciter is never
natural, never can be. Awhile ago one of
the most distinguished professors of
elocution in America—he had the chair
of elocution at one of our biggest uni-
versities—came to be an actor. It was
thought that he would be something
wonderful because of his knowledge
and gift of elocution. He went back
to teaching. He could do that better
than most, but his acting was bad. All
the rules of elocution an actor ever
needs can be obtained in singing les-
sons.

Now, proper enunciation of words
is a different matter. An actor should
not have to be taught that, but if he
does need it it is a pretty bad need,
and he should never rest until he has
lost all slovenly habits. Some of my
friends think I am too severe on this
point. I am not. One cannot be too
severe. It is clean cut work, perfect
in its smallest details, that makes for
perfect illusion on the stage, and I am
always for such work.—Henrietta
Crosman in Century.

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Farm and Garden

VALUE OF THE SILO.

Adds to Worth of Farm More Than Its Cost to Build.

More and more farmers of the central west are thinking in terms of interest on investment, says the Iowa Homestead. Where there is a shortage of horsepower it is an easy matter to determine the value of a good team, compute the interest on the money required to buy the team and then in turn figure the earning capacity of this extra pair of horses. The same principle applies in the building of a corncrib or a granary. As a rule, small grain hits rock bottom prices just about the time thrashing begins, and the man who has to haul grain directly to the elevator invariably holds the



BUILDING A SILO.

short end of the horn. One can build a combination corncrib and granary that will hold 2,000 bushels of corn and as much small grain for \$300. This investment, reckoned at 6 per cent., amounts to \$18 a year, and yet every man knows that this amount may often be made up on three or four loads of grain.

Just as good an illustration of the principle is obtained when reference is made to the silo. Money invested in a silo that is well constructed is just as valuable an asset to the farm as a good corncrib. It will pay much bigger dividends, all things considered. On a pinch one can pile ear corn upon the ground and yet market it later on in fairly good condition. This is not the case with the material that is ordinarily put into the silo. Cornstalks worth \$1 an acre in the field, when put in the silo, grain and all, are worth anywhere from \$4 to \$7 per ton for feeding to the right kind of live stock. By saving practically the full feeding value of the crop it is often possible to more than pay for the silo in one year,

the degree of acidity and indicating in a general way the amount of lime needed per acre to make the soil sweet.

The principle of the test as described in the bulletin is as follows: When zinc sulphide, a white, flourlike substance, comes in contact with an acid a gas is formed which can be detected by the use of lead acetate paper. In a similar manner the acid in soils causes a formation of this gas which is similarly detected.

The apparatus for making soil tests by this method is simple and looks as though it would be a very effective way for the farmer to determine whether the soil needs lime and the approximate amount of lime. The use of lime to correct the acidity of the soil is coming more generally into use as year succeeds year. It has been proved beyond doubt that alfalfa and clover—in fact, all kinds of legumes—will not do well upon an acid soil.

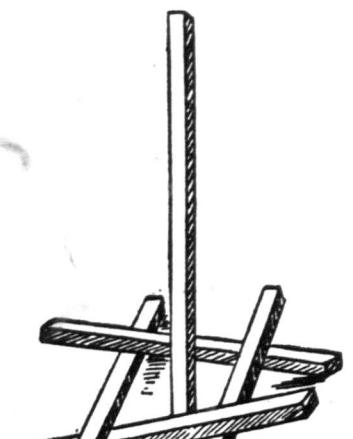
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A Useful Rack.

The rack shown here is used in the peanut regions for curing nuts on the vines and in curing pea and soy bean hay. It is very valuable for curing late cut legumes like cowpeas and soy beans. A hole is made in the ground with a crowbar and in this a sharpened



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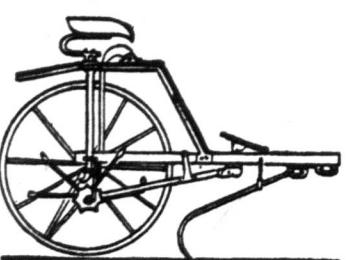
How deep should wheat land be plowed? Experienced farmers generally consider that five inches is just about right, and expert observations since have verified their conclusions. Wheat is rather a shallow feeder, and this depth gives ample room for the roots to establish themselves in the soil. A greater depth than this is not only unnecessary, but if the winter following proves snowless and extremely cold, it is apt to produce excessive heaving of the soil—the prime cause of the "freezing out" so destructive of wheat during dry winters. In addition to this deep plowing turns the poorer under soil to the surface and furnishes a less efficient germinating bed.

Every inch of soil intended for wheat must be turned over and broken—that is, if a good crop is desired—for wheat will not root well in a skim of soil, especially if that skim lies over hard, unplowed ground. The writer has known good wheat lands that have had their yields greatly reduced through haste and carelessness in plowing. Those guilty of such negligence are often so thorough erroneously reasoning that, insomuch as wheat is a shallow rooted plant, "cut and cover" methods do not matter very much—an error always apparent when the crop is harvested. Subsequent harrowing and diskling will not undo the damage, though it may hide the cheat until revealed by the stunted results of the following summer.

After the ground is plowed it will need to be worked into a finely pulverized condition by harrowing and diskling. It will need also to be firmed and pressed until all air spaces and pockets are filled in. Wheat does not germinate in a coarse, cloddy soil and grows very slowly when it does germinate. In a soil garden-like in its texture germination takes place quite readily, even though there is a scarcity of moisture. The roots establish themselves firmly, reaching down and out in a durable cluster well calculated to withstand the rigors of the coming winter.

Cornstalk Cutter.

Some farmers plow under the stalks after they have been broken down by a harrow or a drag. Others prefer to cut, pile and burn them, especially where insects are bad. Stalk cutters have been in use for years in this country, though their use has been limited because of the large acreages put into crop in the short space of time available. The cylinder on which the



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Those who have silos are to be congratulated this year. There will be some late corn, and this will be largely wasted when it is not converted into ensilage. Corn that reaches the glazed condition will make good food if put in the silo, and yet every man knows that to husk out such a crop means, in most cases, the piling up of a lot of useless feed. It will mold if put in the crib, and the good ears invariably are rendered worthless by contamination with the soft ears. Corn of the same degree of maturity, put in the silo, will feed out well and can be used to great advantage for dairy cows, stock cattle or fattening steers.

One thing is certain—namely, that a \$300 silo built on a farm will always add to the value of the farm more than the cost of the silo. Its erection will invariably start the farmer on a better program of stock feeding, resulting in building up the land, and in this way its effect on production will virtually mean that it will pay for the original cost every year.

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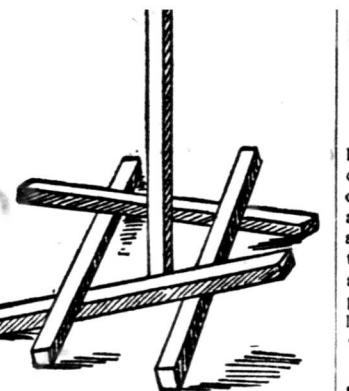
Storing seed corn is always important. It is unusually important this year because any seed corn picked this fall is likely to contain a very high percentage of moisture when it is selected. It is very important that this moisture be greatly reduced before freezing weather.

The day seed corn is picked it should be hung up on corn hangars by the double or single string method or in some rack that will allow no two ears to touch and will provide good ventilation between the ears. This should be put in some dry building provided with good ventilation. A woodshed or attic with facilities for letting the air circulate through is a good place for curing seed corn.—Minnesota Station.

TEST FOR SOIL ACIDITY.

Wisconsin Experiment Station Describes a New Method.

The Wisconsin experiment station has recently issued a bulletin describing a new method of testing the acidity of soil. In this bulletin, written by Professor E. Troug, several tests used for determining the acidity of the soil are described as well as the new test. It is claimed by the author that the new test for soil acidity is more reliable, measuring, to a certain extent,



ed stake is set. This stake is from eight to ten feet high. Four sticks from two to four inches square and two to three feet long are placed around the central stake. This forms a foundation, keeping the hay from the soil dampness and the central stake keeps the hay from blowing over.—Farm Progress.

Potting Bulbs or Plants.

When potting bulbs or plants, always see that there is plenty of drainage in the bottom of the pot. Poor drainage means sour soil and sickly plants.

GERMS ON SALADS.

A Simple Method by Which All Danger May Be Avoided.

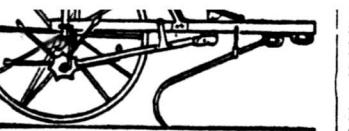
Drs. Loir and Legagneux of Paris tested vinegar as a destroyer of the germs of typhoid fever. That they are killed by a mixture of wine and water in equal parts has long been known. These investigators prove now that twenty grams of vinegar to a liter of water kill the typhoid bacillus in an hour and five minutes.

"From this," writes the Paris correspondent of the London Lancet, "a practical inference may be drawn concerning salads. After washing the salad as usual, detaching each leaf, it should be put into water acidulated with ten grams of vinegar to the liter and remain immersed in this liquid for about an hour and a quarter. All vegetables ordinarily eaten uncooked may be subjected without any inconvenience to the same process."

A liter is equivalent to about a quart and ten grams are equivalent to about a third of an ounce. So if lettuce or other greens for salad be placed in water to which about one-third of an ounce of vinegar has been added and be left for about an hour and a quarter all danger of typhoid fever will be removed.

The Centipede.

The centipede was formerly a resident of the southern part of this country, but it has gradually worked its way to the north, so that now it is quite common in nearly every portion of the country. It thrives best in damp and warm places and has its redeeming feature in that it catches and destroys many of the domestic pests we are well rid of. Its method of catching an insect seems to be to spring over it, inclosing and caging it with its many legs. The belief occasionally met with that the centipede feeds on household goods and woolens or other clothing is without foundation. On the other hand, the bite of this creature is undoubtedly more or less poisonous, the effect depending on the susceptibility of the patient.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.



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Hens molting early resume production more quickly after molting than those molting later.

Hens molting early lay more eggs during early winter than hens molting late.

The most prolific hens will molt latest.

Brewers' Grains as Pig Feed.

When fresh brewers' grains can be obtained at a reasonable price they may be safely and economically fed to growing pigs during the first two-thirds of the growing period, and brood sows will also thrive on them when fed in reasonable quantities and with the proper mixtures. A very satisfactory way to feed the grains would be to use them for about one-third of the ration, the other two-thirds being composed of wheat middlings, barley and cornmeal in varying proportions, according to the age of the pigs and season of the year.

Keep the Colt Clean.

A few minutes every day with brush and comb will keep the colt sleek. It is when we let this work slip by that we have to turn the little fellow out and leave him to get rid of dust and dirt.

Why Is It?

If a young woman is arrested for stealing a bottle of milk and later explains she did it to keep her baby from starving, no judge or jury will convict her and folks will flock to her side offering assistance. Why is it there isn't any way to know the circumstances until the poor girl is forced to steal the milk?

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Some of the finer kinds of striped voile now being worn are perfectly charming. And what infinite care has been spent in the designing of them! One was in pale gray, with a broad white stripe, the skirt several yards wide and finished with wide tucks. In front it had an apron effect on fine white fillet lace, which carried up above the belt, formed a vest for the bodice, the fronts of which were crossed lightly over it. It was finished by a flaring collar and cuffs of embroidered white muslin and a folded waist belt of black moire ribbon, with long sash ends at the back.

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The top of the paper is then folded over to hide the name, and the paper is handed to the player on the right. Then, under the other name, each player writes "Her name was —," folds the top down and passes it on to the player on the right. Each then writes "He said —," folds the paper and passes it on. Then each writes "She said —" on the next paper. "The people said," on the next paper. "The consequence was —," each time filling the blanks with his own words.

Each player must connect what he writes on one paper with what he writes on the next. After the consequences are written the papers are passed on, and then each unfolds his paper. Then each takes it in turn to read his paper. The results are amusing, as they are very disconnected.

Amber.

Amber is the name of a fossil gum. We say "a fossil gum" because it seems to be the remains of a former age. From its peculiar qualities the Roman called it electrum.

This gum is found in the ground, and, as it seemed to be a crystallized substance, it is called a mineral.

Amber was originally generated from a species of pine and fir tree, just as turpentine is now produced from certain pine and fir trees in our country.

As the gum oozed out of the trees it flowed down to the roots of the trees, where it lay in large deposits. A forest undisturbed for centuries would produce extensive fields of this gum.

The Rock of Refuge.

In Hawaii there is a large flat rock called the Rock of Refuge.

Formerly if a criminal reached this rock before he was captured he was safe, but only as long as he remained there.

Usually his family supplied him with food until he could make his escape, but he was never allowed to return to his tribe again.

Proverb Puzzle.

In each of the following ten sayings a word of five letters is omitted. When these ten words are rightly guessed and placed one below another in the order here given the central letters reading downward will spell the name of a famous poet, who was born in February, 1807:

1. Idle —are always meddling.
2. A bird is — by its note and a man by his talk.
3. Make yourself all — and the flies will devour you.
4. A — is a fool's argument.
5. — a fool your finger and he will take your whole hand.
6. A small leak will sink a — ship.
7. A person's — ought to be his greatest secret.
8. He that shows his ill temper — his enemy where he may hit him.
9. A rascal — rich has lost all his kindred.
10. Do as most do and — will speak ill of thee.

Answer.—Longfellow. Words—folks known, honey, fight, offer, great, folly, tells, grown, fewer.

A New Way to Play With the Sea.

THEY'RE FINE FOR KIDDIES —

You should always keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets on the shelf. The little folk so often need a mild and safe cathartic and they do appreciate Chamberlain's instead of nauseous oils and mixtures. For stomach troubles and constipation, give one just before going to bed. All druggists, 25c, or send to CHAMBERLAIN MEDICINE CO., TORONTO 10

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CITTA VECCHIA.

Malta's Ancient Capital a Constant Reminder of St. Paul.

The place where Publius, the chief man of Malta in St. Paul's day, lived is thought to be Citta Vecchia, the ancient capital. It lies near the center of the island, about midway between Valetta and St. Paul's bay, and is connected with Valetta by a railroad.

Here every turn reminds us of St. Paul. The principal square is called Piazza San Paolo, and here we find a fine cathedral, which is said to be built on the very site of the house of Publius. Entering the cathedral, we see a great image of St. Paul, covered with a silver cloth, a reminder by contrast perhaps of how little of that precious metal he was possessed of in his lifetime.

In a nearby suburb of Citta Vecchia is another church dedicated to St. Paul and named for him, which the inhabitants devoutly believe is built over the very grotto in which he lived during his three months on the island, and the catacombs of the grotto are also called after his name.

One striking monument to the apostle reminds every passing traveler of this wonderful story. In the bay of St. Paul is a tiny island called Selimun, and on this island is a towering statue of the apostle, which can be seen from far, a fit emblem of the colossal character which in all the ages since has so influenced and blessed the world.—Christian Herald.

SACRED NUMBERS.

Four and Forty Were Held in Reverence by the Ancients.

The number four was anciently esteemed the most perfect of all, being the arithmetical mean between one and seven. Omar, the second caliph, said, "Four things come not back—the spoken word, the sped arrow, the past life, the neglected opportunity." In nature there are four seasons and the four points of the compass.

Forty, a multiple of four by ten, is one of the sacred numbers. The probation of our first parents in the garden of Eden is supposed to have been forty years. The rain fell at the deluge forty days and nights, and the water remained on the earth forty days. The days of embalming the dead were forty. Solomon's temple was forty cubits long. In it were ten layers, each four cubits long and containing forty baths.

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To economize in electricity in a house and yet have all the needed light and the greatest benefit from that used, let the housewife buy bulbs of varying sizes instead of having all of the ordinary sixteen candle power size.

A thirty-two power bulb placed in the table lamp (or electroliter) gives the needed light for reading and is far better than two of the smaller size half-way to the ceiling or higher, as style demands.

To even up this large use in one spot very little bulbs, as small as two candle power, may be purchased for bedrooms, where a dim light is wanted for hours or caring for the sick and for hallways, where some light must be left for the return of the "night owls" of the family.

Since the estimated cost of burning the sixteen candle power bulb is a cent an hour, only one-eighth of a cent would be consumed by this little light, yet it would be sufficient for the purpose. The best arrangement would be to have bulbs of different sizes in one chandelier, so more or less light could be turned on as required; then with care there would be a welcome decrease in the size of the bills. As bulbs burn out and must be replaced, let the housewife try this and see for herself.

A Clever Hint.

In sewing snap fasteners on clothes, sew the ball sections first and then cover the tops with chalk. A slight pressure will mark the spot where the socket section should be placed.

Acrobatic Feat.

"Percy gets along all right at these afternoon teas."

"Does, eh?"

"Yes; he can hold a plate of salad in one hand, a cup of coffee in the other and balance a dish of ice cream on his left shoulder."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Why He Was Late.

"Sam, you are late this morning." "Yes, boss. I lost mah hat, an' I did have to go after it."

"Did you walk or run after it, Sam?"

"Neither one, boss. Dat 'oney mule kicked me after it"—Yonkers Statesman.

Birds' Nests.

Birds in the construction of their nests almost without exception avoid bright colored materials, which might possibly lead to the discovery of their place of abode by an enemy.

Neighborly Anyway.

"Is he an apostle of humanity?" "Is he? He has twelve children and won't let one of them take music lessons."—Philadelphia Ledger.

— a root your anger and he will take your whole hand.

6. A small leak will sink a — ship.

7. A person's — ought to be his greatest secret.

8. He that shows his ill temper — his enemy where he may hit him.

9. A rascal — rich has lost all his kindred.

10. Do as most do and — will speak ill of thee.

Answer.—Longfellow. Words—folks known, honey, fight, offer, great, folly, tells, grown, fewer.

A New Way to Play With the Sea.

The traditional way to play with the surf is to dive through the breakers. There is, however, another game that is still more riotous fun and gives the waves a fairer chance.

The bather wades out to the line where the breakers begin to curl and the water is about shoulder deep and stands facing out to sea with his eye on the coming wave. Just before the wave begins to lift to form the breaker the bather throws himself on his back and floats in that way—head toward the shore, feet toward the sea. If he has judged time and distance correctly the curling breaker will pick up the bather, feet first, turn him heels over head and leave him standing on his feet, ready for the next wave. If he misjudges the timing or the distance—well, that is the game—the wave scores.

It takes large breakers to turn a grown man, as large breakers as people often bathe in, but ordinary surf will do the trick for a boy.—Youth's Companion.

A Strange Word.

There is a word in the dictionary which you may read forward or backward without changing it one iota, either in meaning or letters. Write the word out in capitals and analyze it. The letters are now in procession. Mother is in the lead, sister Ada is conspicuous in the center, while poor papa—the father of us all—is in the rear.

Again, if children reassemble the first part of this word they will be crazy, and if their boats go over the last part they will probably be drowned. What is this mysterious word?

Answer: Madam. Words: Ada, Adam, mad, dam.—Chicago News.

At the Telephone.

Hello, daddy! Is that you? This is little "Eyes o' Blue." How are you today? I am feeling very well. Going downtown with Auntie Bell To the matinee.

Auntie says we'll see a show About a boy who wouldn't grow Up to be a man. Teddie bears and fairies, too—I can scarcely wait, could you? It's called "Peter Pan."

Daddy, don't forget you said When you broke poor dolly's head, And I didn't cry. You would get me a new doll With a hat and a parasol; Don't forget Goodby!

—Philadelphia Record.

Mean Thing.

Patience—I don't think Will is at all observing.

Patrice—You don't?

"No, I don't."

"Well, I do. Why, he said the other night that you had twice as much color on one cheek as on the other."—Yonkers Statesman.

forty years. The rain fell at the deluge forty days and nights, and the water remained on the earth forty days. The days of embalming the dead were forty. Solomon's temple was forty cubits long. In it were ten layers, each four cubits long and containing forty baths.

Moses was forty years old when he fled into the land of Midian, where he dwelt forty years. He was on Mount Sinai forty days and forty nights. The Israelites wandered in the wilderness forty years. The Saviour fasted forty days and nights before entering upon public life. The same time elapsed between the resurrection and the ascension.—Exchange.

Keep Gloom From Sickroom.

There ought to be some sort of a test for sickroom visitors. People who are just recovering from the throes of death and have the grim reaper's shoulders on the mat should not be placed at the mercy of the disconcerting, disheartening and depressing friends who gain admittance to the chamber under the guise of kindness. If some one can devise a way to detect the visitors who know of somebody who died of the patient's malady and stop them at the threshold, recoveries will be quicker and deaths fewer. In the absence of such a test the best kindness folks with grouchies, hard luck tales and yarns of misery in their system can do for those in sickness is to stay away. Many a patient has spent days recovering from the effects of a ten minute visit by a misguided gloom spreader. —Detroit Free Press.

Lord Salisbury's Joke.

Count Miyatovich, former Servian minister, told in London the story of a meeting he once had with the late Lord Salisbury. "He was a brilliant man and a great statesman," he said. "A little cynical, he never lost an opportunity of having a laugh at one's expense, but in his laugh there was never a trace of any malice. In the interview I recounted my nation's history, when he seemed a little bored. At the end Lord Salisbury dryly remarked: 'I thank you, minister. Now I know what I did not know before—that you have a brilliant history. But, my dear friend, it would have been much better for the Serbs if you had a less brilliant history and a port on the Adriatic.'"

News In Olden Times.

Not many minutes after a statesman has finished a speech nowadays the news is selling in the streets and has been flashed to every capital in Europe.

It was different in the elections in the time of Pitt. He made a memorable speech one March, and the eager public only learned exactly what he said from the Gentleman's Magazine of the following November.—London Saturday Review.

Wild Cinnamon.

Although the cultivation of cinnamon on the plantations in French Indo-China is constantly increasing, most of the product is obtained from a wild shrub growing in the forest. When a native discovers a cinnamon tree he must make a declaration before the local administration, who cut down the tree and authenticate its product. The profits accruing to the discoverer of a single tree sometimes reach a large sum. The variety most prized is the wild royal cinnamon of Thanh-Hoa, which is thought by the Chinese to possess a high medicinal value.

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Will ship hogs on Tuesday, Nov 9th. Highest market price paid for good hogs. None accepted weighing less than 150 lbs.

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Mr. M. B. Judson has sold his furniture business to The Gibbard Furniture Co.

Major G. E. Hall has been transferred from the command of the twenty-sixth Battery to the Reserve Brigade.

Leave your order at WALLACE'S for "Betty Brown" Chocolates. Fresh every week at Wallace's Limited, the Leading Drug Store.

Go and have a delicious cup of tea at Budgeon's Drug Store, on Saturday afternoon, November 6th and help a good cause; our fighting men overseas!

Remember Red Cross Day at Wonderland on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 27th.

Dr. Robert Dorner, Osteopathic Physician of Belleville, will be in Napanee every Monday and Friday, commencing Nov. 8th, corner of Bridge and Centre streets. Consultation and examination free.

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10.00 a.m.—Quarterly Sacramental service. At this service a reception of new members will be held. Already about thirty have signified their intention of joining on Sunday. If there are any others who would like to unite with the church, if they will hand in their names the pastor will be pleased to interview them.

11.45—Sunday School and Bible Classes.

7.00 p.m.—Evening service. Mr. Crutcher, of China, will speak. As Mr. Crutcher has spent some time in China he ought to have a very interesting message for us.

Monday, 8 p.m.—The Young People's meeting. Meeting in charge of the Christian Endeavor Department, Miss Roberta Bell being in charge. The topic will be taken by Mr. Evans, of the Collegiate Institute.

Wednesday, 7.45 p.m.—General Prayer and Praise Service.

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RUMMAGE SALE

Photographs.

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The contest for best picture printed on Velox Paper closer this month. Kindly hand in all work by end of month. WALLACE'S Drug Store Limited.

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CHANGE OF TIME.

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ADDRESSING OF MAIL.

In order to facilitate the handling of mail at the front and to insure prompt delivery it is requested that all mail be addressed as follows:

- (a) Regimental Number.
- (b) Rank.
- (c) Name.
- (d) Squadron, Battery or Company.
- (e) Battalion, Regiment, (or other unit) Staff appointment or Department.
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"One of the most influential agricultural papers in the Dominion," is the way others refer to the Weekly Sun of Toronto. It is a paper which appeals to the wide awake farmers. Independent and fearless, it has always guarded the best interests of agriculture. Aside from that, its accurate and carefully compiled market reports and summaries give the reader a practical grasp of market conditions. "You have saved me dollars," is the repeated recommendation of hundreds of its readers. The Sun is on the ground, it is the paper for the farmer who rolls up his sleeves, and to those who are farming for profit, its market reports are worth many times the subscription price,

MOTTO OF LIBERAL CLUB FEDERATION OF ONTARIO

"Service" has been adopted as the motto of the Liberal Club Federation of Ontario and many compliments have been given the organization for its choice of a slogan. The Toronto Star, for example, in an editorial on the question, says:—

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The Federation at present is holding a series of conferences to discuss further means of assisting in enterprises connected with the war. Within the last week conferences have been held in Hamilton and London for central and Western Ontario respectively, and similar conferences are planned for Belleville and the County of Dundas.

HONOUR ROLL.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Important Announcement.

Effective November 1, 1915, the Canadian Northern Railway will establish through passenger train service between Toronto, Port Arthur, Fort William, and Winnipeg, leaving Toronto Union Station at 10:45 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, connecting at Winnipeg Union Station with Canadian Northern Trains for Edmonton, Calgary, Saskatoon, Regina, Brandon and all important points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia and the Pacific Coast. The equipment is thoroughly modern type specially constructed for this service. Through tickets from Napanee to all points, and berth reservations, are obtainable from E. McLaughlin, Town Agent, R. E. McLean, Station Agent, or write to R. L. Fairbairn, General Passenger Agent, 68 King St., E. Toronto, Ont. 46-d

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NOV. 5th AND 6th

True Patriotism.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson have offered their beautiful home on Robert Street as a recreation club for the soldiers wintering in Napanee. It would be difficult to conceive a more suitable building for the purpose to which it is to be devoted. The club will be under the management of a committee of ladies who will provide social entertainment for the soldiers and make them feel at home in our town. In fact the club, subject to certain restrictions, will be their home. There will be a reading room and a writing room, and Mrs. Wilson has kindly offered her piano so there will be ample facility for musical entertainment. Dr. and Mrs. Wilson are to be congratulated upon the magnificent spirit of patriotism displayed in thus turning over their home for the comfort of the boys in khaki. It is to be hoped that other citizens will follow their example in making generous contribution towards this worthy project.

It is quite probable that dishes, fuel, chairs, tables, games, stationery and magazines will be required and we feel sure that these will be forthcoming without expense to the committee. The town must see to it that nothing is left undone to take full advantage of this most generous gift to the soldiers. A meeting will be held in the Town Hall at three o'clock on the afternoon of Monday, the 8th instant to organize for equipping and managing the club. All the ladies of the town interested in this good work are invited to be present.

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Napanee and vicinity, also for t
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Grace Church.

The Epworth League anniversary
service conducted last Sunday at
Monday by Rev. H. B. Kenny, t
President of the Conference, were
decided success. Mr. Kenny ga
two very excellent sermons, in t
morning his subject being, "The t
Banquets," and at night, a ser
especially to young men. Both se
mons were thoroughly enjoyed by
present. The evening congregatio
was very large and appreciative. T
address on Monday was an inspiratio
to all Epworth Leaguers. The servi
in the Grace Methodist church w
commence on Sunday morning at
a.m., instead of at 10:30, it being t
quarterly communion service.

Trinity Church Notes.

The pastor will give a report at t
evening service of the Golden Jubil
Convention of the Sunday Sch
Association of Ontario. All phases
Sunday school work were dealt wit
Stirring addresses were given by Re
Dr. Atkins, of the Metropoli
church, Rev. Dr. Johnston, pastor
the American Presbyterian chur
Montreal, Mrs. M. S. Lamoreaux,
Chicago, Marion Lawrence, secre
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Association, and a score of other at
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Christian workers adult Sunday sch
scholars are cordially invited to he
the report of this wonderful conve
tion. Mr. A. P. Crutcher, of We
China, will preach at the morning se
vice. Do not miss this service. Bri
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Horticultural Society.

The annual meeting of the Napan
Horticultural Society was held in tl
Board Room of the Public Library o
Tuesday evening, when the followin
officers were elected.

President—Mr. E. J. Pollard.

1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. J. W. Robinson

2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. R. G. H. Traver

Sec.-treas.—Mr. W. S. Herrington

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Rev. S. Sellery, M.A., B.D., Pastor.

9.45—Class meeting.

10.30 a. m.—Mr. A. P. Crutcher, of West China, a noted missionary, will preach.

11.45—Sunday School and Bible Classes.

7 p.m.—The pastor. A report of the Golden Jubilee Convention of the Sunday School Association of Ontario that met last week in the city of Toronto. The most successful and enthusiastic convention in the history of the Sunday School Association of the Province.

Epworth League service Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The Christian Endeavor Department will have charge. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

PERSONALS

Mrs. J. R. Dafoe and Mrs. W. T. Waller are spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. Crutcher, of China, will speak in the Trinity Church in the morning, and in Grace Church in the evening.

Mr. W. J. Normile is able to be around again after his severe illness.

Mrs. J. B. Warner, Toronto, who has been the guest of Mrs. Eakins for the past month returned home on Friday last.

Mr. G. W. Shibley leaves to-day to spend a few days in Toronto.

Messrs. J. B. Allison and J. R. Dafoe are in the north country on their annual hunting trip.

Mrs. C. W. Conway and son Charles are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Conway, Watertown, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrne Black were in Stirling a few days this week attending the wedding of Mr. Black's sister, Miss Edna, who was married to Mr. Kerr, of Toronto.

Mrs. Shore Lyon's sister, Mrs. Carter, of Bloomfield, is very ill.

Mrs. Douglas Carter spent a few days in Picton, the guest of Mr. W. J. Carter.

Mrs. D. W. Allison left last Friday to spend a month in the country while her son is away hunting.

Miss Hilda McGreer, who is attending Model School in Kingston, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McGreer, Deseronto Road.

Miss Georgia Robinson gave a birthday party on Wednesday afternoon to ten of her little girl friends.

Miss Margaret Campbell, Marysville, spent the week end in Napanee, the guest of Mrs. H. W. Kelly.

Mrs. G. A. Wallace, of the Campbell house, left last Friday to spend a few weeks in Toronto.

The Sewing Club were very successful with their patriotic pumpkin pie social. They realized about \$75.

Mrs. Frank Bogart left on Tuesday to spend a few days in Picton with her friend, Mrs. Young.

Mrs. William Moffitt, Picton, was the guest of Mrs. Chas. Hawley a couple of days last week.

Mr. J. W. Ashton moved this week to Mr. Vandusen's house near the Park.

Mrs. Sneath gave a luncheon for Miss Luella Hall on Thursday.

Mrs. Robt. Frizzell leaves on Sunday to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Zoellner, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd have removed from the Vandusen house to the Gault house near the R. R. bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lott returned on Sunday from an extended trip to

Principal Hutton's Lecture

Last Friday evening, the Lennox and Addington Historical Society opened its regular season with a lecture from Principal Maurice Hutton of the University of Toronto, which he styled "German and British Ideas". Dr. Hutton in his opening remarks stated that "there are various chasms separating the British and German point of view" and then proceeded to explain in a most delightful manner how the two peoples are different in all of the ideas which help to make for the betterment of the world. He quoted this paragraph which appeared in a recent article, written by Harden, the celebrated German editor, in the Los Angeles Examiner: "And yet you are not cowards, you Britons. German officers tell of the bravery and persistence of your soldiers. Though wounded two or three times they fight on, refusing to leave the firing-line. Some of your nobility lead your mercenaries, falling with them. The French have been taught a lesson by your cool endurance. We had not hoped to find such splendidly efficient foes in mere mercenaries."

The lecturer took pains to point out the way in which "the old German middle-headed mixture of learning and stupidity" made the people of that country think of the word mercenaries and use it as a term of reproach.

He spoke for some time of the manner in which the two Nations were built, laying special stress on the effect of this upon their soldiers. The differences in the methods of educating and training the children were of special interest to the audience. The German methods were carefully explained and summing up the whole situation, Dr. Hutton told how the German educator regarded British methods with disgust, and approved of their own.

The fact that the German consider the British as decadent because they are sportsmen, and because they are pacifists, gave the lecturer a splendid opportunity, to show a striking example of German "middle-headedness" and, incidentally, to give the audience views on the question of pacifism which everyone would do well to think of seriously.

In concluding Dr. Hutton briefly outlined the manner in which all the German and British characteristics are having a wonderful influence upon the conduct of the terrible struggle in Europe. His closing paragraph seems to contain so much for thought that we give it verbatim.

"And so I end as I began, with the Spartan-Athenian reference. Great Britain and her daughters and her daughters-in-law are fighting—they also like Athens of old, in their own way for Nature, i.e., for Human Nature; which means for race and liberty, for liberty and diversity, and against compulsion and uniformity; in the faith that they will discover the force—that it be only the force born of gaiety and lightness of heart and happiness in the faith that they will find the energy—that it be only the energy born of liberty and self-reliance and pride of race—that they will develop the force and energy born of free human nature, at last, to wear down and to war down, even the drilled, disciplined machine-like soldiers "made in Germany"—even the Spartans of this new age: the armies of Prussia."

The lecture was enjoyed by an audience which filled the hall and the universal opinion expressed was that it was far too short—the highest compliment that could be paid the lecturer.

The President of the Society, on behalf of those present, appropriately thanked Principal Hutton for coming to Napanee and giving such and interesting and instructive evening's entertainment.

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Good Order.

VanLuven Bros. placed a \$1000 cash offer for Victrolas and records this week. This places them in class "A" dealers and gives advantages and better prices. As there are very few Class "A" dealers between Toronto and Montreal, even in the cities, this looks well for the musical talent of Napanee and vicinity, also for the enterprise of this firm.

Race Church.

The Epworth League anniversary service conducted last Sunday and Monday by Rev. H. P. Kenny, the resident of the Conference, were a decided success. Mr. Kenny gave two very excellent sermons, in the morning his subject being, "The two amours," and at night, a sermon specially to young men. Both sermons were thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The evening congregation was very large and appreciative. The address on Monday was an inspiration to all Epworth Leaguers. The service at the Grace Methodist church will commence on Sunday morning at 10 a.m., instead of at 10.30, it being the latter communion service.

Sixty Church Notes.

The pastor will give a report at the opening service of the Golden Jubilee convention of the Sunday School Association of Ontario. All phases of Sunday school work were dealt with, stirring addresses were given by Rev. A. Atkins, of the Metropolitan church; Rev. Dr. Johnston, pastor of the American Presbyterian church, Montreal; Mrs. M. S. Lamoreaux, of Chicago; Marion Lawrence, secretary of the International Sunday School Association, and a score of other able Sunday school workers. All Sunday school teachers, officers and other Christian workers adult Sunday school scholars are cordially invited to hear a report of this wonderful convention. Mr. A. P. Crutcher, of Westboro, will preach at the morning service. Do not miss this service. Bring our missionary envelope.

Agricultural Society.

The annual meeting of the Napanee Agricultural Society was held in the Card Room of the Public Library on Tuesday evening, when the following officers were elected.
President—Mr. E. J. Pollard.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. J. W. Robinson
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. R. G. H. Travers.
Sec-treas.—Mr. W. S. Herrington, Directors.
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Mr. G. B. Curran.
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Messrs. W. J. Campbell and W. J. Munro.
The Directors were authorized to apply number of shrubs for the beautification of the Presbyterian church grounds. New members may receive the full distribution of bulbs joining at once.

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John Montague, Victoria, was the guest of Mrs. Chas. Hawley a couple of days last week.

Mr. J. W. Ashton moved this week to Mr. Vandusen's house near the Park.

Mrs. Sneath gave a luncheon for Miss Luella Hall on Thursday.

Mrs. Robt. Frizzell leaves on Sunday to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Zoellner, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd have removed from the Vandusen house to the Gault house near the R. R. bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lott returned on Sunday from an extended trip to Texas and California.

Mrs. John Rowe and daughter of Detroit, are guests of her mother Mrs. Bryce Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrison announces the engagement of their only daughter Gladys, to Mr. L. Percy Lake, both of Morven, the marriage will take place this month.

Mrs. Douglas Carter will not receive until after the New Year.

Mrs. Arthur L. Phelps will be at home at the Methodist parsonage for the first time since coming to Conway, on Tuesday, November 9th, from three to six. Afterwards on every second Tuesday of the month.

Mr. M. H. Shibley, Toronto, spent a couple of days this week in town, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Shibley. Mr. Shibley left on Tuesday for Kingston. His mother accompanied him. Mrs. Shibley returned on Wednesday.

BIRTHS.

GUESS—At Leithbridge, Alta. on Oct. 27th, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Ross W. Guess, a daughter, Beverly Rees.

PLUMLEY—At Napanee, on Tuesday, Oct. 26th, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Plumley, a son.

MARRIAGES.

METCALF-COVENTRY—At Napanee, on Thursday, November 4th, 1915 by Rev. J. H. H. Coleman, M.A., Lillian Coventry, to Percy Duke Metcalf, both of South Frederickburgh.

TELLER—At Humboldt, Sask., Oct. 25th, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Teller, a son.

MUSIC.

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John Bull.

The nickname John Bull is said to have appeared first in a satire by Dr. John Arbuthnot called "Law Is a Bottomless Pit; or, the History of John Bull," published in 1721. Washington Irving mentions the typical figure as a "sturdy, corpulent, old fellow with a red waistcoat, leather breeches and short, oaken cudgel. Many Napoleonic caricatures show John Bull represented in this way.

One Way Only.

"I always pay as I go," remarked the careful individual.

"Lots of fellows do that who don't save enough to pay their way back," added the mere man.—Judge.

Appropriate Place.

"Have you a history of this century's battles?"

"Yes. I keep it in my scrapbook"—Baltimore American.

the drilled, disciplined machine-like soldiers "made in Germany"—even the Spartans of this new age; the armies of Prussia."

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Rummage Sale.

In the town hall, Friday afternoon and all day Saturday, Nov. 5th and 6th, under the auspices of W.C.T.U. Will those donating kindly have parcels ready Friday morning.

A Assistant Secretary.

Belleville Creamery.

The Belleville Creamery, Limited, is advertising for cream from the farmers of this district. Cans will be furnished by the company and expression will be paid to Belleville. The Belleville Creamery bears a high reputation for fair dealing and produces a splendid article. Prompt settlement are made with customers. See advt.

For Red Cross.

On Saturday next on the market, Mr. C. W. Vandervoort will offer for sale by auction five bushels of wheat and also five bushels of buckwheat kindly donated by him to the Red Cross Society and the Patriotic Fund. Mr. Vandervoort's generous offering should bring out some lively bidding to help the funds of the Patriotic and Red Cross committees.

The Lennox and Addington Motor Ambulance.

The Committee of Women's Patriotic Service and Red Cross work, (through the Daughters of the Empire) are pleased to announce that their subscription to the above amounted to \$136.50 of which \$54.25 was sent by the residents of Switzerland to the Daughters of the Empire for this purpose. The treasurer of the committee sent in a cheque for the full amount to the treasurer of the local Red Cross Society on Saturday last.

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